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HANG THIRTEEN HOUSTON RIOTERS; BIRD GIRL WINGING WAY TO OAKLAND

SENATE TO PROBE WAY ARMY IS MANAGED

Secretary Baker and Other Officials Will Be Asked to Tell of War Preparations

NATION-WIDE WOMAN SUFFRAGE NEAR VOTE

Prohibition Amendment Will Come Up Soon; President Is Urged to Run the Railroads

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Senator Reed of Missouri created a sensation in the Senate this afternoon by warning of the danger of a Teutonic invasion of the United States and advocating the calling out of all youths from 18 to 21 years for training to meet such an eventuality.

Speaking with amazing frankness, the Senator declared the central powers now have a preponderance of military strength and that if several more nations should follow Russia, Rumania and Serbia out of the war the entente allies in Europe could no longer check the Germans.

WASHINGTON, Dec 11.—A general inquiry into the operations of the war department in arming and equipping the American forces was decided upon today by the Senate military affairs committee. Secretary Baker and other department heads will be called to explain various features of war activities.

The investigation will start in a few days. Chairman Chamberlain of the committee announced that Secretary of War Baker and other high officials will be asked to give the

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Congress Acts On Important War Measures

A general inquiry into the operations of the War Department in arming and equipping American forces has been decided upon by the senate military affairs committee.

The House has agreed to consider the nation-wide prohibition amendment on Monday.

The nation-wide woman suffrage amendment has been reported without recommendation by the House judiciary committee.

Debate on the postoffice appropriation bill which carries $330,000,000 has started in the House.

President Wilson is expected to address Congress on the question of federal control of the railroads during war-time.

TROOPERS EXECUTED FOR CRIME

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 11.—Thirteen of the negroes of the Twenty-fourth Infantry, United States army, found guilty of complicity in the riot and mutiny at Houston on August 23, were hanged on the military reservation at Fort Sam Houston at 7:17 o'clock this morning. Announcement of the carrying out of the sentence was made at headquarters of the Southern department at 9 a. m.

Only army officers and Sheriff John Tobin of Bexar county were present when the sentence was carried out by soldiers from the post No newspapermen or civilian spectators were allowed, the time and place of execution having been kept a secret.

Of the sixty-three men tried by

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SIX MILLION INITIAL SUM ASKED FOR NAVAL BASE

First Detailed Statement Is Received Concerning Recommendations on Alameda Site

CONSTRUCTION WORK TO COVER SIX-YEAR PERIOD

Docking and Repairing of the Largest Ships and Terminal Depot for Fleet in Plans

The Helm naval base commission recommends:

Suitable legislation during the present session of Congress for the Alameda naval base, on the basis of construction schedule covering six years.

Initial appropriation of $6,000,000.

Total cost, $36,307,000, covering following items:

Dredging, breakwaters, quay walls, piers and grading, $5,255,000.

Two drydocks, $7,000,000.

Buildings, $11,664,000.

Machinery and equipment, $7,500,000.

Streets, distributing systems, $908,000.

Definite word as to whether the initial appropriation recommended in the report of the Pacific naval base commission, headed by Admiral Helm, will be passed by this session of Congress is not expected until the voluminous survey containing the recommendations comes from the federal printing office The attitude of Secretary of the Navy Daniels and President Wilson will probably determine the question so far as this session of Congress is concerned

PLAN FOR DOCKING LARGEST VESSELS

The Helm report, according to a special despatch to the Oakland TRIBUNE received today, was made on the assumption that the activities of the proposed naval base will include docking and repairing the largest vessels in the United States navy and its use as a great terminal depot for the main fleet as a base. The retention and continued development and use of the Mare island navy yard is repeated by the commission in this report.

The report sets forth in detail the method by which the commission approached its task. The naval experts prepared and planned out a typical naval base of sufficient size to meet present and future requirements. It then proceeded to fit or adapt this ideal plan to each location in order to decide its fitness as a site.

It is obvious from the report that from the beginning Alameda was felt to meet all the requirements more thoroughly than any other location. The final recommendation of the commission is given in the following words:

"The commission finds that Alameda offers greater advantages and therefore designates Alameda as the most suitable site on the Pacific coast and recommends that the same be acquired and developed in general accordance with the plans and estimates of cost submitted."

In comparing Alameda and Hunter's Point, Alameda is favored as to every qualification except as to rock support for dry docks, where the commission states that Hunter's Point has a slight advantage. It states positively, however, that the condition of the subsoil of Alameda is satisfactory and that Alameda has better foundations for all other structures.

ALAMEDA SITE ADVANTAGES SHOWN

The advantages listed in the case of the Alameda site are as follows.

Free land.
Direct railroad communications
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Direct oil pipe line communications.
Better transportation.
Better living conditions for employees.
Milder climate.
More remoteness from range fire of hostile guns.

Among the basic requirements the commission included estimated yard area of 600 to 1000 acres, a water frontage of not less than 10,000 feet, capacity for two 1000-foot drydocks and room for two additional large drydocks and two smaller ones, berthing space of 10,000 feet and ground area for buildings, not including special storehouses, of 1,000,000 square feet.

The report states that the general plan will be to dredge in from the permanent 40-foot depth to the desired distance, using the dredged material to reclaim sufficient land for the navy yard use. All necessary

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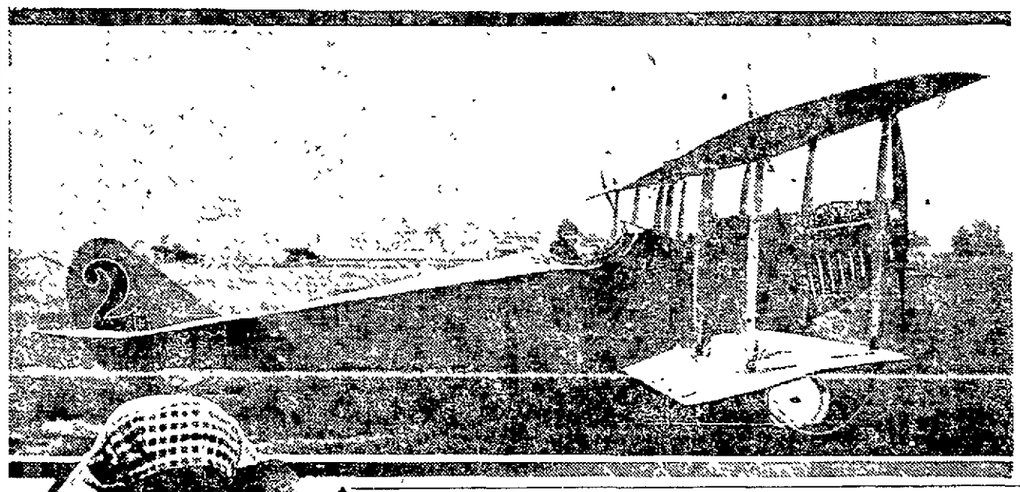

Allenby Is Greeted in Jerusalem

Greeted by Shieks of Mosque of Omar; Reads the Proclamation.

BULLETIN.
BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

LONDON, Dec. 11.—General Allenby, commander of the British army which captured Jerusalem, is to be named military governor of that part of the Holy Land, it was said today.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—The British flag was raised in formal state over Jerusalem the Holy today.

General Allenby entered the city and was greeted by Shieks at the Mosque of Omar and the Patriarchs of the Eastern Latin churches. To them and to the populace he read a long prepared proclamation promising them freedom and security under Christian rule. The flag was then formally raised over the city. At the same time French and Italian consulates and merchants raised the flags of their own nationalities.

Martial law was proclaimed at once

CANNOT DEFINE FUTURE UNTIL AFTER THE WAR

No attempt will be made to define the future position of Jerusalem until a general peace comes, the Times says it understands. In the meantime the city will be treated as a British military occupation and will be under martial law. General Allenby will appoint a military governor.

A solemn thanksgiving and Te Deum will be held in St. Paul's Cathedral today in celebration of the surrender.

Few events have stirred Christendomn to such depths as the announcement that the Holy City had been captured by General Allenby's army and that it once more was in Christian hands after being under Mohammedan rule for centuries.

Capture of this ancient city, which may be regarded as the fountainhead of Christianity, recalls the medieval days of the Crusaders, when countless thousands gave up their lives to rescue the tomb of Christ from the infidel, and it is also giving impetus to the plan already before the British government of establishing a national home in Palestine for the Jews.

Commenting on the capture of Jerusalem by the British troops under General Allenby, London papers today pointed out that the event will probably have the most favorable effect upon the Jews of Russia.

The press editorially predicts that the signal victory resulting in the fall of the Palestine capital will most likely prove a strong factor in the strengthening of the Russian factions who are antagonistic to the Bolsheviki and who are striving against the conclusion of a peace in Russia without victory

SLAIN IN REVOLT

LISBON, Dec. 11.—Portugal's successful revolution cost at least 100 dead and 500 wounded in clashes between the rebel and the old government forces, according to latest estimates today

Congressman Costa has restored Colonel Paes issued summary orders for the immediate execution of all caught fighting on Monday

Premier Costa and Foreign Minister Soares arrived here today, back from the Paris inter-allied council meeting, to find their residences had been sacked and partly pulled down by the rioters in the disorder attendant upon the change in government.

LEAVES SAN DIEGO ON 500 MILE FLIGHT

FRESNO, Dec. 11.—Katherine Stinson, the girl aviator, passed here at 1:40 p. m.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11—Miss Stimson passed over Tulare at 1:05 o'clock, traveling about 50 miles an hour. It is estimated she will reach Fresno about 2 o'clock.

BAKERSFIELD, Dec 11.—Miss Katherine Stinson reached this city at 12:10 She was flying at an altitude of approximately 8000 feet and at a very high speed

With a "Goody San Diego-Hello Oakland" wave of the hat as she passed over the hundreds of government aviation students on North Island, San Diego, Kate Stinson, the daredevil girl aviator from Texas, early today started on her way to this city in an attempt to break the cross-country flying record held by a woman.

Miss Stinson was a day late in starting her aerial journey Yesterday morning was the time set, but during Sunday's tryout her machine developed motor trouble, which necessitated a postponement. Investigation showed that several things were wrong, but the girl urged her mechanicians to hurry repairs, as she was anxious to get started.

Miss Stinson arrived on the old Curtiss field, San Diego wires say, shortly after 6:30 o'clock today. The morning was cold and damp, but, bundled in sweaters and leather outer-garments, she hurriedly got her machine out of the hangar and started the motor to humming. A tryout convinced her that everything was shipshape.

At 7:55 o'clock, after bidding farewells and receiving wishes of good luck, Miss Stinson gave the signal, the big motor began to hum and again she arose from the earth like a bird, but this time headed straight over the government aviation field and northward.

Two-fifteen o'clock this afternoon is her scheduled arrival time in Oakland. She intends following the coast to Los Angeles, then striking across toward the Tehachapi mountains and the San Joaquin valley, following the railways through Bakersfield, Fresno and into Oakland. From here she plans to soar over San Francisco bay to the Presidio. A speed of seventy-five miles an hour will enable her to make the record, barring accidents.

RUSSIA IS WARNED

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Further details of the statement made to Russian journalists by Sir George Buchanan, British ambassador at Petrograd, as forwarded in a Reuter despatch, show that the ambassador declared the Russian commissaries were mistaken in thinking that a durable peace could be obtained by asking the Germans for an armistice to be followed by an agreement. The allies, he said, wished first to arrive at a general agreement in harmony with their declared war aims and then to arrange an armistice.

Hitherto not one word had been said by any German statesman to show that the ideals of the Russian democracy were shared by Emperor William and his government, the ambassador said. It was with the German autocracy, not with the German people, that the armistice negotiations were being conducted He asked whether it was likely that the emperor, when once he knew the Russian army had ceased to exist as a fighting force, would be disposed to subscribe to a democratic and durable peace. On the contrary, the peace contemplated by the emperor was a German imperialistic peace.

GUARD U. S. WEAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 11.—Following a number of raids on Oakland by a party of army intelligence bureau operatives, bales of goods from Harrington W. Cochran upon second-hand dealers who have purchased United States army equipment bearing the stamp of the quartermaster's department, warrants were issued here for the arrest of a number of San Francisco dealers on complaint of Assistant United States Attorney Chauncey F. Tramutolo by United States Commissioner Francis Krull.

CIVIL WAR IN RUSSIA ONCE MORE RAGING

BY UNITED PRESS.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

PETROGRAD, Dec. 11.—War against General Kaledine and his Cossack revolters was formally declared by the Bolsheviki today. Troops were despatched from Kazan on an armored train through Kharkoff.

Foreign Minister Trotsky ordered Ensign Krylenko, Russian commander-in-chief, to send as many troops from the front as possible to crush the Cossack revolt along the Don and in Ural.

Kaledine himself declared martial law in force throughout the territory of the Don today and announced his Cossack forces were ready to fight.

From Kharkoff it was reported today that rebels had mustered three train loads of troops, together with three from Sumy. General Korniloff was said to be in command of these forces.

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 11—Fighting in the streets of Moscow between Bolsheviki and members of the Kaledine-Korniloff revolutionaries is in progress and the situation has reached a critical point, according to advices from Haparanda today

Ensign Krylenko, the Bolsheviki commander-in-chief in Russia, has taken the field in person against the Cossacks under Generals Korniloff and Kaledines, said a despatch from Haparanda today.

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 11.—Petrograd newspapers report that Chinese troops have arrived at Harbin, Manchuria, to protect Chinese interests.

"As the Bolsheviki government has proofs that General Kaledine and Dutoff have been arresting workmen's and soldiers' councils and trying to disarm revolutionary garrisons, according to the despatch received here from the official Petrograd telegram bureau, the government has decided to make an end to the counter-revolutionary movement." This was announced today.

ATTACK WOMEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—As a result of a vicious attack upon two women in Golden Gate Park last night, Antone Tomato, aged 22, and Eugene Ferri, aged 27, were booked in the city prison on a charge of robbery after a running chase through the park by Mounted Officer Eugene Pigeon, during which a number of shots were fired before the men were captured.

According to Officer Pigeon he heard cries for help on San Diego avenue just off the Great Highway. He galloped to the scene and found Mrs. Louise Ward and Mrs Margaret Cullan, 233 Leavenworth street, struggling with the two men.

MUNADLE IS SUNK?

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Officials of the Munson Steamship Company are making every effort today to obtain further details concerning the report of the sinking of the liner Mundale, reported by wireless despatches received at Portland. The Mundale left Philadelphia last Thursday bound for a southern United States port She carried no cargo

The captain of the American tank ship Cantell, who reported receiving an appeal for aid from the Mundale, made a fruitless attempt to locate the vessel The Mundale carried a crew of thirty-eight

COUNT SUSPECTED

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Count James Minotto, son-in-law of Louis F. Swift, who is at liberty under bond following his arrest as a suspected pro-German sympathizer, will face immigration authorities at a further hearing here today.

Although it was announced several days ago that the hearing had been closed and the evidence forwarded to Washington, additional evidence has been discovered, immigration officials declare, which will be presented at the hearing today.

Count Minotto faces deportation to Italy or interment here if the charges against him are upheld.

HUNS MASS FOR MIGHTY SMASH ON WEST FRONT

Heavy German Reinforcements Sent; Fierce Bombardment of Cambrai and Ypres Sector

PIAVE INVASION IS BLOCKED BY ALLIES

Tanks Employed in Checking Huns Until the Italian Army Becomes Strongly Fortified

ROME, Dec. 11.—Powerful attempts made by the Austro-Germans to retake the Agenzia and Suliani positions in the Capo Sile region of the lower Piave river were sanguinarily repulsed yesterday by the Italians, it was announced today by the war office.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

Heavy German reinforcements have arrived in France, it is believed in allied capitals, but where the expected blow will fall is yet to be disclosed. For the moment the infantry is inactive along the western front, but the artillery, especially that of the Germans, is very active in various sectors.

On the British front the Germans are bombarding heavily the positions southwest of Cambrai and east and northeast of Ypres.

From St. Quentin to the Swiss border, Paris reports great artillery activity between the Oise and the Aisne, in Champagne northeast of Verdun and in Upper Alsace.

Infantry fighting has stopped momentarily at least, on the Italian front from Asiago to the Piave river. The Austro-German effort to break through between the Piave and the Brenta failed with losses. An apparently local attempt to cross the lower reaches of the Piave has been checked by the Italians, who recaptured observation trenches taken by Austrian soldiers.

LONDON, Dec. 11. — Unusually active artillery fighting and aerial operations on the western front yesterday are reported in today's official communication. This activity was particularly noteworthy on the Ypres and Arras front.

ALLIES DUPLICATING IMPREGNABLE TRENCHES

WITH THE FRENCH ARMIES IN ITALY, Dec. 11.—British and French troops today are duplicating on the Italian front the impregnable British and French trench lines on the west front, while Germany and Austria prepare their greatest of all assaults to break through

The geographic advantages are with the enemy. The Austro-Germans now occupy the crest and the southern slopes of the Alps. Their positions completely dominate the entire Venetian and Lombardy plains. Every movement of the Italian, French and British armies on the flat ground is plainly visible to the enemy.

Not only does the actual battle line contour thus favor the Teutons, but Germany and Austria both have access to the easiest and most direct Alpine passes for the line of communications back home.

TANKS AGAIN USED IN CHECKING HUNS

Tanks have played an important part in checking the Austro-German invasion. Even in the difficult mountain country along the upper Piave and Brenta rivers, tanks supported rear guards that were engaged in holding up the enemy until the main Italian force could take up a previously fortified position. Out of one detachment of forty-four tanks stemming the Austro-German drive down through Trentino only twenty-eight escaped.

Heavy bombardments were reported from all sections of the front today, but for the time being the invaders are evidently desisting from their infantry thrusts with heavy masses of men.

So enormous were the Austro-German losses in the outburst of infantry fighting on the Asiago plateau that they had to suspend their drive until they could inform their shattered divisions

Snowstorms were reported in the Venetian Alps, hindering the transport of Austro-German supplies to the front. In this respect they have an advantage, however, for they can use mountain highways that the Italians spent thirty months of labor upon before they had to retire before the Austro-German drive.

EPIDEMIC IS NOW FEARED AT HALIFAX

BULLETIN.
BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 11.—The capture of a carrier pigeon under whose wing was a message in German was reported to the police today. The pigeon, probably wounded in the explosion Thursday, entered the window of a home near the burned area. Its number was "New York, No. 29."

HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 11.—Warnings of a possible epidemic have been published by the health department. Despite today's bitter cold weather every effort is being made to hasten the work of clearing the remaining debris and extricating the bodies beneath. Approximately 1000 of the 1300 bodies recovered have been identified. At least 2,000 additional ones are missing and the number of wounded has been placed at 6,000.

Announcement was made today that the first sitting of the court of inquiry to determine the cause of the explosion would be held tomorrow. Officials say the inquiry will be drastic and will probably continue for several days.

Meanwhile the majority of the persons of foreign birth or extraction arrested yesterday are being held for examination.

Health officials have issued drastic orders concerning the immediate burial of the dead, but the excessive cold has interfered withit execution of the orders.

SIX MILLION FIRST SUM FOR NAVY BASE

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dredging to maintain the proper 40-foot depth could be accomplished in the process of reclamation, so that no cost for dredging would have to be figured in the estimates.

Although the commission states that the rock base at Hunter's Point is better for drydock foundations, it declares that the facilities for the arrangement of the drydocks are more advantageous at Alameda.

The special despatch received by The TRIBUNE today is the first detailed statement concerning the Helm commission recommendations. The press despatches carried by the wire services were exceedingly meager in their accounts of the report, giving only the information that would be desired by the cities of the Pacific coast in general. On account of the importance of the project to the bay region The TRIBUNE arranged with a special correspondent to obtain a detailed and authoritative despatch covering the principal items in the report.

It is too early yet to state the attitude of Secretary of the Navy Daniels and of the administration upon the suggestion for the immediate appropriation, according to the special despatch from Washington.

Chairman Padgett of the naval affairs committee stated today that no intimation had been given as to the attitude of the administration in carrying out the recommendation. He stated that he would not have an opportunity to read and study the report until it comes back from the printer.

Greatest Zionist Hopes Anew
Zangwill's Dream Takes Body
Jerusalem's Fall Opportunity

LONDON, Dec. 11. — Israel Zangwill saw his dream of a Jewish republic coming true today.

Such a separate independent state, in Palestine, is the great Jewish leader's hope for the future, as he expressed it to the United Press today, while exulting in the reclamation from infidel hands of the Holy City of Jerusalem.

"I would call it the republic of Judea or of Israel," he said. "It would be an autonomous, separate nation. But I would have it temporarily under protection of some great world power—England, the United States or, perhaps, all the allies combined.

"This protectorate would continue only long enough to make certain that the new Jewish nation was solidly established.

"None of us who hope for such a nation expects to believe that all Jews wherever now located will come to Palestine and live under the new country. It is my belief, however, the Jewish farmers who are finding it hard to make a living in many places of the world, would do so. Moreover, these are the sort of men who would form the most solid basis for the republic. They should be given some aid to permit their return home.'

"Jerusalem—now once again restored to us from Turkey's ruthless grasp of centuries—is an ideal spot for a capital. It could be the site of a great commercial or trading city.

"But my plan would not be to bring to Jerusalem the Jews who have prospered throughout the world. Rather, I would have drawn to the new capital and the new nation the oppressed of other nations.

"Most important of all, with a Jewish nation established, Jews throughout the world would feel they had a home of their own—and this even if their condition and circumstances did not enable them to emigrate to Palestine.

"My succession for a temporary protectorate is based on a desire that the Jewish nation and the interests of its people should be permitted to grow under the fostering care of some great power which has no self-interest in Palestine.

"Thirteen million Jews throughout the world look today to Jerusalem—the Holy City. What could be more fitting than a Jewish nation reborn after centuries of Jewish travail!"

Tells of Battle on Italian Front
Division Cut to Pieces by Charge

ITALIAN HEADQUARTERS IN NORTHERN ITALY, Dec. 11.—A visit today to the headquarters of a major general commanding a division of heroic Alpini and Bersaglieri, disclosed the story of the manner in which this division held the heights back of the Asiago plateau until it was cut to pieces and the remnant was compelled to fall back to its present new line. The general is now engaged in reforming his shattered forces which were seen in long lines along the road preparing to go back into the fight.

A major of the general's staff, who toward the close of the fight collected the remainder of the men of the division and led them in the final charges until the order for retirement came, gave a first-hand description of the struggle. He said there were three Bersaglieri regiments, some Alpini battalions and one infantry regiment in the division, in addition to the usual quota of batteries and field and middle calibre guns.

These were ranged back of the Asiago when the enemy's drive reached its maximum intensity last Wednesday. For twenty-four hours one Bersaglieri battalion had held Mont Tondarecar until its platoons had been reduced from thirty men to six. It was then that the battalions of Alpini were sent to their relief.

The Alpini fought their way up the hill, gaining the summit against heavy odds, only to find their comrades cut to pieces. Most of them were lying dead from stab wounds.

At 9 o'clock on Wednesday morning the colonel of these battalions sent his last report to the general. It said laconically:

"The enemy is on all sides and I am about to charge."

That was the last which was ever heard of him or any of his men.

The enveloping enemy masses grew denser and the gallant Alpini band which had gone to rescue the Bersaglieri was wiped out of existence.

U. S. Soldiers Try Out Gas Shells
Have Sham Battle Just Like Real

WITH THE AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY ARMY IN FRANCE, Dec. 11.—American artillery tried out gas shells for the first time today.

The experiment was in connection with a complete rehearsal of an assault, from preliminary preparatory fire down to aerial "liason work" and the final charge.

The artillery was that attached to a newly arrived contingent of American fighting men.

Under conditions as nearly approximating those of the battle line as it was possible to make them, this artillery hurled a big gas barrage, deluging a triple line of "enemy trenches." In with the asphyxiating shells the American guns mixed a rain of shrapnel and high explosive projectiles.

During all this fire Sammies crouched in their trenches. Exactly at the "zero hour," with American airplanes soaring high overhead, above the shell trajectory and wirelessing back proper ranges, the American troops "went over." American airplanes circled and wheeled above them, sending back word and correcting the barrage fire of the American guns so that it slowly swept ahead of the advancing waves.

Precisely at "zero" the airplanes had reached the "enemy trenches," reduced by preliminary bombardment. When the Sammies charged they took three theoretical lines of these defenses.

Accordingly, every soldier who "went over the top" wore his gas mask.

After the infantry had followed the curtain of fire and seized the three trench lines American aviators signaled back "Victory!" and the show was over.

The Sammies who participated in this realistic practice work were all members of a certain newly arrived contingent. It was their first advance under actual barrage fire. They were so busy advancing that they had scant time to comment on man-made volcanoes erupting on the opposite side of the valley, throwing up spouts of smoke and earth and frequently sending a spatter of water drops when projectiles from the American guns landed in a pond in the valley.

The American artillerymen worked like mad. Despite the bitter cold they were perspiring when they finished their job. The guns they fired were of a type obtainable only at the front. Moreover, these particular field pieces had just been shifted back from a period of work against the enemy.

NEW COLD RECORD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11—The coldest December weather in forty years was recorded in the Ohio Valley this morning, with a minimum temperature of 13 degrees below zero at Cincinnati. In all parts of the country east of the Rocky Mountains the temperature today was from 20 to 40 degrees below the usual average at this time of the year.

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 11.—Clear and warmer was the weatherman's promise after 72 hours of zero temperature during which from two to eight inches of snow fell in various sections of Colorado, causing many hours' delay in railroad traffic.

ALICE JOYCE, who will appear at the American the last half of this week in a new photodrama, "The Fettered Woman."

The new bill at the American for the last half of this week, commencing with the matinee tomorrow, is topped with a splendid dramatic production entitled "The Fettered Woman," featuring Alice Joyce. Francis X. Bushman and Beverly Bayne will also appear in "The Voice of Conscience."—Advertisement.

SENATE TO PROBE AFFAIRS OF ARMY

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exact progress of America's war preparations.

While the whole military situation will be probed, including conditions of the American expeditionary forces in France, special attention will be directed to the new draft army, which has been the topic of many complaints as to equipment and organization.

At the committee meeting today, Senator Wadsworth of New York, who has inspected conditions at several of the national cantonments, said rifles, clothing and other equipment has not been supplied satisfactorily, and as a result America's developing of war strength was greatly hampered.

Another object of the investigation, it was stated, will be to give Congress and the people the exact facts and silence many false rumors regarding conditions at cantonments.

AMENDMENT ON SUFFRAGE REPORTED

The constitutional amendment for nationwide woman suffrage was reported without recommendation today by the House judiciary committee.

As passed by the Senate, the resolution provides that the necessary three-fourths of the states must act on the amendment within six years from the time of its passage in Congress. The judiciary committe extended the time to seven years, and would make the amendment effective one year from the time of its ratification. Representative Randall of California, prohibitionist member of the House, predicted today that the resolution would pass the House with forty or fifty votes to spare.

The judiciary committee amended the suffrage resolution to provide that the amendment dies unless it is ratified by the states within seven years from the time of its adoption in Congress. This is the same provision that the committee included in the prohibition amendment. The suffrage resolution has not been voted upon in either house, but it is on the Senate calendar.

The national prohibition amendment to the constitution will come up for consideration in the House next Monday under unanimous agreement reached by the House today. A record vote also is planned by House leaders.

Passage of the amendment by a two-thirds House majority will place the question up to the states, the Senate having passed the resolution last session.

The committee amended the resolution as passed by the Senate January 31 so that the amendment would not become operative until one year after its adoption by the legislatures of three-fourths of the states.

The amendment, if approved, will make the country "bone-dry." It prohibits the "manufacture, possession or sale of intoxicating liquors within, the importation thereof into, or the exportation thereof from the United States" for beverage purposes.

Debate on the postoffice appropriation bill, first of the big supply measures of the session, began in the House today. The bill carries an aggregate of $333,000,000, including $1,200,000 for a censorship of European mails, but fails to provide for a pneumatic tube service in large cities, an item upon which a fight has centered for some years.

PRESIDENT URGED TO RUN RAILROADS

Members of President Wilson's cabinet today were bringing pressure to bear on him to take over the railroads and run them for the period of the war.

Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo, it was learned today on unquestionable authority, is the leading advocate of government control. He urged the President to cut the Gordian knot of the whole transportation problem by seizing the country's railroads and doing anything necessary to insure their efficient operation to win the war.

McAdoo and other cabinet members pressed their views at this afternoon's cabinet meeting. The same high authority stated that the President will undoubtedly go before Congress with a railroad message in a few days. This message is to be written after today's cabinet meeting.

It was learned that it will include proposals which the railroads will regard as "strong measures," in view of the railroad executives' program as outlined to the President yesterday.

The President is declared to have flatly rejected the railroads' terms of higher rates, draft exemption for employees and government aid in obtaining financial credits.

As a result, the railroads' war board sought an appointment with the President to make a last stand. He will receive them tomorrow afternoon at the White House.

One Unified Railway U. S. Need, Says Ford

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—One unified railroad system tying together all parts of the country is the outstanding need of the United States, according to Henry Ford, in an interview here today. The Detroit manufacturer points out that instead of a unified system we have "hundreds of railroad companies, each looking after itself or trying to get the best of its neighbors."

After asserting that a new motto—service—must be adopted by the railroads, Ford says:

"The railroad situation is like a man who has been so busily engaged for thirty years in working on the model of a new invention that he does not see what is going on. Now he looks up only to find that his model is out of date and not good enough.

"For the last decade railroad presidents and even operating officials have been talking like their banker-managers about increases in freight rates and security values, instead of devoting their thoughts and energies to eliminating waste and improving equipment.

"The freight car weighs as much as the load it carries. Generally it travels two-thirds full and comes back empty.

"Passenger trains weigh 50 to 150 times as much as the passengers in them. A Pullman car weighing 60,000 to 80,000 pounds averages less than two thousand pounds of passenger loads.

"Heavy cars require heavy engines, more coal, heavier bridges, greater strains in starting and stopping, and result in increased waste and depreciation.

"Four-fifths of a railroad's work today is hauling deadweight of its own wastefully heavy engines and cars. This is why railroad presidents have such a hard time to figure out freight and passenger rates high enough on the 20 per cent of live load to cover the cost of hauling this enormous deadweight of 80 per cent around.

"Who would carry home 25 pounds of flour in a hundred-pound market basket?

"See how light and strong nature makes a bird's feathers and the spider's thread. It was never intended that man should make common steel low tensile strength.

"Nature has distributed alloy materials which, with heat treatment, makes steel of 150,000 or 200,000 pounds tensile strength instead of 50,000 pounds, and then the weight can be cut down proportionately. Alloy steels of high tensile strength cut down the weight of the truck and automobile.

"A new motto—service—must be adopted by the railroads.

"Constantly appealing for 15 per cent increases to protect stocks and bonds does not solve our transportation problem."

HANG THIRTEEN HOUSTON RIOTERS

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the same courtmartial, forty-one were sentenced to life imprisonment. One man was sentenced to dishonorable discharge from the army, forfeiture of all pay and allowances and to be confined at hard labor for two and a half years.

Three were sentenced to be dishonorably discharged from the army, forfeit all pay and allowances and be confined at hard labor for two years. Five were acquitted.

The men who paid the penalty of death were: Sergeant William C. Nesbitt, Corporal Larnon J. Brown, Corporal James Wheatley, Corporal Jesse Moore, Corporal Charles W. Baltimore, Private William Brackenridge, Private Thomas C. Hawkins, Private Carlos Snodgrass, Private Ira B. Davis, Private James Divine, Private Frank Johnson, Private Ricky W. Young, Private Pat MacWhorter.

Following the hanging of the thirteen men the chief of staff of the Southern department gave out a written statement, at the same time refusing to answer any question.

"Goodby, boys of Company C," were the last words uttered by the thirteen condemned men.

The execution took place in an arroyo about two miles east of Camp Travis on a great scaffold which had been erected during the night by engineers from the post. A column consisting of approximately 125 cavalrymen and 100 infantry soldiers assembled at the cavalry guard house, where the negroes were confined, at 5:30 a. m. today. Trucks were provided to convey the prisoners to the scene of the execution.

Without a tremor, the negroes stepped out with soldierly tread and, singing a hymn, walked to their places. Prayers were said by a negro minister and by two army chaplains and then the men were ordered to stand on the traps. Resuming their song, they stood erect and displayed the greatest fortitude.

At 7:17 the major in charge of the execution gave the order to spring the traps. The triggers had been arranged, one for each drop, and six men were assigned to each one. At the word of command they pulled on the triggers.

Execution of the courtmartial's sentence follows the approval of the finding by Major General John W. Ruckman, commanding the southern department. The war department, officials said, had no previous announcement that the sentences imposed were being carried out and none was necessary, as General Ruckman's powers in the premises are absolute. It is understood that the reason the findings of the court were withheld from the public until after the executions had taken place was to avoid unrest among the negroes of the country and to prevent the President being deluged with petitions for clemency. The infliction of the utmost penalty, army officers held, was necessary in the interest of discipline in the army of the United States.

MAN IS ARRESTED

William Brooks, from Texas, was arrested last night when he returned to his boarding house and broke into the room occupied by his landlady, Mrs. Sadie Harris of 1672 Eighth street, by using a hammer. Mrs. Harris jumped out of a window and screamed for help. Patrolman Garcia responded and apprehended Brooks, taking his hammer as evidence. He is charged with disturbing the peace and with malicious mischief.

LICENSE REVOKED

Upon the recommendation of Chief of Police J. H. Nedderman, the city council today revoked the liquor license held by E. C. Sheckelford, a negro saloon keeper, who has a place at 635 Franklin street. Chief Nedderman reported to Commissioner Jackson that he had conclusive evidence that the proprietor has been selling liquor to youths of 16 and 18 during the last four months, since he was granted a new licenuse.

Shackelford formerly held a restaurant and bar license which was revoked for cause on April 28, 1916. When he was given a new saloon license he assured the authorities that he would conduct his place in accordance with the law, Chief Nedderman said.

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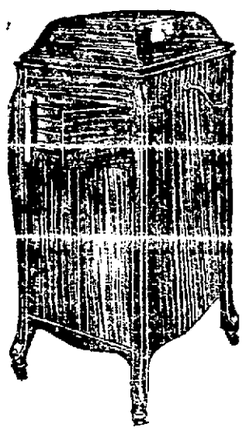

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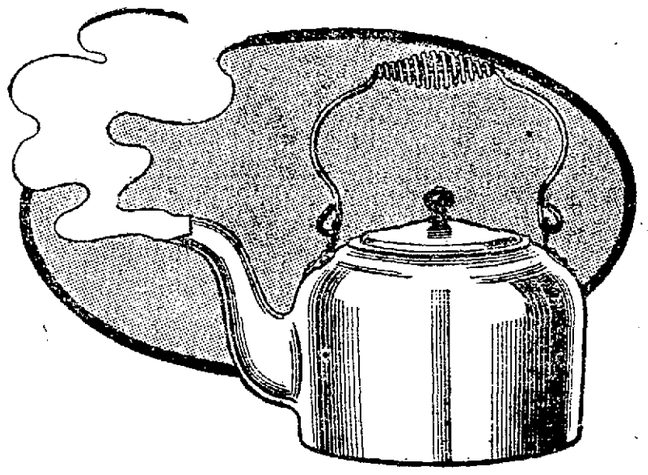

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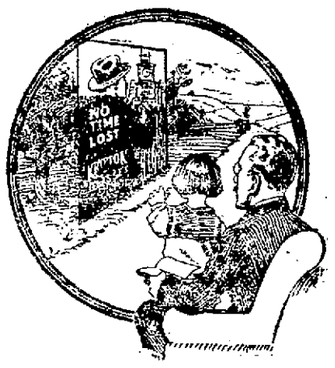

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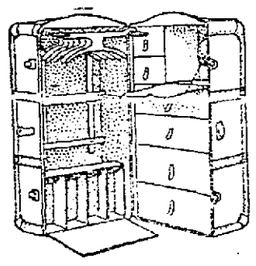

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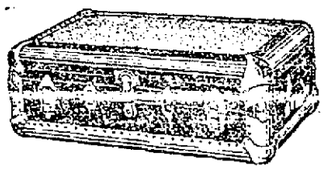

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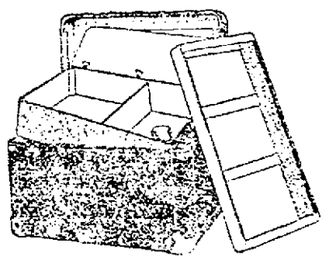

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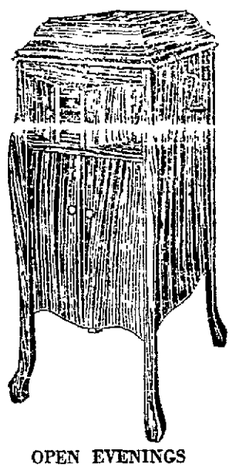

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TELEPHONE DELEGATES IN SESSION

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Delegates from various Pacific coast locals of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers and affiliated unions of telephone operators, went into executive session at the Hotel Sutter today after a conference with Plant Superintendent D. P. Fullerton, of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company yesterday to determine scale agreement and working conditions which they will insist upon in spite of the awards made by the President's mediation commission recently.

Under the award made, the working conditions for the operators were declared not satisfactory and the electrical workers want an increase from $4.50 to $5 per day.

MADE PROVISO.

To anticipate such controversy Secretary of Labor William B. Wilson, chairman of the commission, wrote into the award that in the event the decision was unsatisfactory to either side, they might appeal December 10 to arbiters John Williams, of Chicago, on the wage scale, and to Immigration Commissioner Edward White, providing after December 17, an agreement had not been reached. The decision of these arbiters was to be final.

According to John Morganthaler, president of the Pacific Coast District Council of Electrical Workers, and superintendent Fullerton, the conferences had not yet reached a stage which made possible a forecast that the differences could be settled without the intervention of Williams and White, but no strike or tieup of telephone communication is possible.

"We will insist upon $5 per day for the electrical workers," said Morganthaler at noon today, "and a minimum wage scale of $1.50 for all apprentice operators with a sliding scale to $2.75 for girls with nine months' experience, and better working conditions.

HAVE CONFIDENCE.

"If the company will not grant them we believe that the arguments which we can present to the arbiters appointed by Secretary Wilson on increased cost of living, will gain us all of our demands."

Superintendent Fullerton refused to comment on the situation further than to say that there would probably be no conference with the electrical workers' delegates until tomorrow, the company considering today the demands made at the conference yesterday.

The representatives from the various unions present at the meeting are:

J. Sutton of Tacoma, W. B. Davis of Sacramento, W. S. Junkin of Portland, W. Delaney of Seattle, J. T. Asbury of Santa Rosa, J. H Sutton of Fresno, W. M. Thompson of Vallejo, E. I. Durrell of Oakland, G. A. von Schritz of Portland, R. E. Swain of Los Angeles and C. D. Mull, H. Boyen and C. O. Mann of San Francisco. F. J. Rhode and L. C. Grasser represented the International Brotherhood, and Miss L. Schunke, Miss M. Miller and Miss H. Holmes represented the operators.

AD CLUB WILL AID SHOE DRIVE

The Oakland Rotary Club's big "shoe drive" will be augmented by several hundred pairs of shoes as a result of the decision of the Oakland Ad Club yesterday to turn over to the Rotarians all shoe donations received at the annual Christmas luncheon of the Ad Club, which takes place at the Hotel Oakland December 21.

According to the custom followed by the Ad Club at its annual Christmas luncheons, members will be requested to bring articles of apparel for distribution among the needy. On this occasion, all packages of clothing received at the luncheon will be turned over to the Board of Education for local charity, while the shoes will go to the Rotary Club, which has undertaken to collect 50,000 pairs in Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda for distribution among the destitute people of France through the agency of the Red Cross.

Arrangements for the Ad Club's Christmas luncheon were yesterday placed in the hands of a committee composed of George A. Cummings, Lawrence A. Moore, Arthur Hargrave, J. E. Mauerhan, S. E Shermantine and Al Mathews.

The Oakland Board of Education last evening unanimously adopted a resolution endorsing the Rotary Club's "shoe drive" and pledging every possible aid and cooperation The principals of the various city schools were instructed to ask the pupils to bring discarded shoes to their respective schools Thursday morning. The Board of Education will arrange for a dray to collect these shoes and take them to the Rotary Club's "shoe drive" headquarters at 1900 Telegraph avenue.

The Rotary Club will have Fruitvale headquarters for the "shoe drive" at the Masonic Temple 1357 East Fourteenth street, which will be in charge of Mrs. Mary Randall Parker, who is connected with the Red Cross headquarters, also at that location, and who has offered her services to the Rotary Club committee.

Robert A. McWilliams, chairman of the "shoe drive" committee, stated today that until the headquarters at 1900 Telegraph avenue are open, persons having shoes to donate may notify him by mail, care of the Rotary Club, or phone 287, and the shoes will be called for

SACRED CONCERT

The second concert of the special Oakland series being given by the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Alfred Hertz, is announced for Friday evening, December 14 at the Auditorium Opera House under the local management of Z W Potter

The first event proved most delightful, praised from every angle, and Conductor Hertz has contrived a program for the forthcoming concert that promises to be even more enjoyable

Dvorak, Beethoven, Brahms and Strauss will be the composers represented The program will be opened by Dvorak's "New World" Symphony, written by the composer in gratitude to America for the kindly spirit in which his music had been received

Beethoven's "Coriolanus" overture, Brahms' variations on the St. Anthony Chorals, and Strauss' tone poem, "Don Juan," are the other numbers programmed Tickets may be had at Sherman, Clay & Co's Oakland store

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WOMEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS—Initials embroidered in white or colors. Box of 6 **$1.00**

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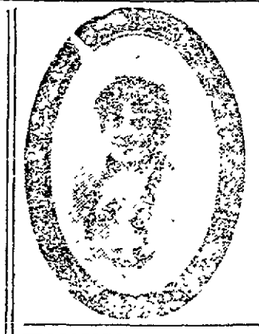

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CHILDREN'S FLANNELETTE GOWNS—Pink and blue stripes or plain white, made with double yoke, hemstitched, for ages 2 to 14 years. This is our 75c special value. Wednesday at, each **59c**

79c Women's Flannelette Gowns 79c

Plain white or pink and blue stripes with or without collars. Cut big and full. Sizes up to 17. Special at

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DISHONEST FOOD MEN TO FACE PROBE

WASHINGTON, Dec 11.—A sweeping investigation of dishonest food speculators has been undertaken by the Federal Trade Commission. The investigation was begun today under the direction of Victor Murdock at the request of Herbert Hoover. Evidence secured by the commission will be turned over to the department of justice for vigorous criminal prosecution.

Wholesale and retail merchants and food brokers have been criminally responsivle in no small measure for the shortages in many foodstuffs, especially for mounting prices of perishables, the food administration said today.

DIVORCE SUITS BEGUN.

Mrs. Grace Church has begun divorce proceedings against Leo Church a marine engineer, alleging desertion Other divorces filed today were Mrs. Grace Cella against Joseph Cella alleging neglect; F. W. Scott against Myrtle Scott, alleging cruelty, and Tony Tabonda against Christina Tabonda, on a charge of cruelty.

OAKLAND CLUB WOMEN ARE TO SERVE ON JURIES

Club women will be empaneled as jurors in the next case involving a jury trial that comes before Police Judge George Samuels. The women will be given a trial, men juries recently having proved unsatisfactory in summing up the evidence in several cases where conviction seemed inevitable, according to the judge.

Bailiff J. P. Stocker has been quietly making the rounds of the different clubs, obtaining from the secretaries lists of the members and from these the panel will be drawn.

"Women are as much under obligation to serve on juries as men," said Judge Samuels. "We are going to try them out on the next case. Maybe they will be able to digest the evidence better than the men have been doing lately. Particularly the club women who have taken interest in [illegible] on the jury."

Blue Bird Bureau

"Dear Blue Bird: I am afraid it will be more than one Good Fellow can do to handle this case. We are eight children from two weeks to fifteen years. I am 12. My father has been out of work most of the time since July. We need many things, but anything will be acceptable. Please do not publish my name."

There's a chance for a good fellow whose purse is as big as his heart's desire. Our little friend of 12 says her brothers and sisters need many things, and if the father has been out of work more or less since July, it isn't hard to believe that she is telling the truth. The family lives in Berkeley, and it will be a good chance for some Berkeley Good Fellow to "get busy."

The suggestion of yesterday that in cases of families of four to ten children, two or more Good Fellows club together to help out has borne fruit. Two responses of this nature came in today. It is inadvisable to divide up families for the Christmas good fellowship, as disappointment on the part of some little fellows in the same group, while others are remembered, is worse than letting them all fare badly, but fare alike.

The Blue Bird Bureau wishes to call the attention of the colored Good Fellows of Oakland to a situation which has presented itself. There have been several appeals from negro children who will be forgotten by Santa Claus if the Good Fellows do not make plans to see that they are cared for. There are more appeals from all races than are being met by the Good Fellows, and the Blue Bird does not want to have these little colored kiddies forgotten. We will welcome offers from some of our Afro-American friends to help meet this condition, and will give the cordial co-operation of this bureau in the task.

I HEREBY PROMISE

If you will be a Good Fellow at Christmas, wishful to bring joy to some child who would otherwise suffer disappointment and heartache in being forgotten, fill out the attached blank and either bring or mail it to the Blue Bird Bureau, OAKLAND TRIBUNE. It is for you to decide how many children you can make happy, and in what way you can do it best.

I will be Santa Claus to ..... children (state number you wish to care for). Kindly send me names and ages of children in .....

(State district in which you can work best.)

..... (Name)

..... Street Avenue

..... (City)

SHIP CAPTAIN HELD FOR COURT

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 11.—Captain Charles Granzow was indicted here by the Federal grand jury on four counts charged with wrecking and burning the four-masted schooner Churchill October [illegible] French Frigate shoal in the South Pacific. Captain Granzow was master of the Churchill which was owned by the Charles Nelson Company of San Francisco and carried a cargo of copra consigned to the British consul at Seattle.

LOTTERY MAN CAUGHT.

Joe Quong was arrested last night at Twenty-third and Railroad avenues by Sergeant J. J. Sherry, who found Chinese lottery tickets in his possession. He was released on $10 bail.

IRON TRADES ARE GIVEN INCREASE

All danger of a second strike in the shipbuilding activities of the Pacific Coast, which has threatened since dissensions arose over the uniform Pacific Coast wage scale established by the Federal Labor Adjustment Board, is believed to be now averted.

Information was received by members of the Iron Trades Council today from President Robert W. Burton of that body, who is in Washington with a delegation to protest the scale, that the government had acceded to at least a portion of the demands. The increases are said to amount to at least 14 per cent.

The award for the uniform wage scale for the shipbuilding industry of the Pacific Coast, was made by the adjustment board on November 5. The increases granted amounted to approximatnely 33 per cent. The Iron Trades Council then sent a delegation to Washington headed by President Burton to ask for a rehearing on the ground that no wage increases had been received for ten years, and asked that the award be made upon the basis of the increased cost of living since 1914.

Local labor interests are awaiting the return of Burton to receive the full details of the government negotiations.

PARENT TREE ILL

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 11.—The "parent" navel orange tree of Southern California is ill here today. Specialists have been called in for consultation. Unless they can give a correct diagnosis and prescribe the right treatment at once the tree will die. The tree with two others was brought here in 1873, and their planting marked the beginning of the navel orange industry in California. Dr. Henry J. Webber of the University of California, A. D. Shamel of the United States agricultural and horticultural department and other specialists are in consultation.

NOT LEGAL RISK

Highwaymen are not an industrial hazard so far as commercial traveler are concerned, according to a ruling of the State Accident Insurance Commission in the case of Mrs. Melitta R. Cullom of Berkeley, widow of James G. Cullom, who was killed by a man to whom he gave a ride while on an automobile trip between Chico and Gridley last February. The widow, who has small children to support, asked for compensation from the Co-Operative Wholesale Company of Chico under the State compensation law.

ADMITS HIS GUILT

Joseph H. Mesany, alias Barry, the street car conductor who on [illegible] 21 found a handbag on his car belonging to Mrs. Edith E. Pearson, containing jewelry valued at $8[illegible], took it home instead of turning it in as lost property, pleaded guilty today before Judge Ogden and was referred to Probation Officer Compton.

GETS CAT PRIZE

Mrs. C. F. Baxter, matron at the city prison, has the distinction of carrying off first honors for her entries at the cat show recently held in San Francisco. Omar Khayyam, a Persian, born in a cracker box in the city prison on the twelfth floor at the city hall, was awarded a silver cup. Omar is considered the highest born cat in the world. Princess Pluie also owned by Matron Baxter, has received several blue ribbons.

DECREE SET ASIDE

By order of Judge T. W. Harris the interlocutory decree of divorce granted to Thora Marguerite Smedman Taylor against Orville D. Taylor in April last was today set aside on stipulation of the parties, and the suit dismissed. It is understood that a reconciliation has been effected.

USE DUTCH SHIPS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Thirty-seven Dutch vessels now tied up in New York will be in service through the Panama canal within a short time, plying to the Dutch East Indies, according to H. M. Clements, manager of a Dutch cocanut oil syndicate, in San Francisco today. The owners have agreed that, if their steamers coal at an American port for a foreign voyage they will return with cargo to an American port.

MUSIC MEETING

The annual meeting of the Alameda County Music Teachers' Association will be held on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the studio of Alexander Stewart, 1414 Webster street. The business to be transacted includes annual reports of officers, election of new officers for the coming year, voting on the proposed new constitution and selection of a date for the annual banquet and the Northern California Conference.

ASKS MORE TIME

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—The difficulty in placing its stock at $90 per share, caused the Pacific Gas and Electric Company to file an application with the State Railroad Commission for an extension until December 31, 1918, of the time within which it may sell the balance of an issue of $2,500,000 preferred stock authorized to be issued and sold before December 31, 1916. The application states that but $2,090,400 of the issue has been taken up.

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An Occasion That Hundreds of Oakland Women Have Patiently Awaited

—This collection completes the most extraordinary collection of Dresses secured this season at an underprice. There are Dresses for every occasion, including—

Afternoon Dresses — Evening Dresses — Street Dresses

—Many are beautifully trimmed, richly embroidered, braided or adorned with buttons. There's every fashionable coloring to choose from. Every desirable fabric.

$15 *Men's Wear Serges and Wool Jersey, Georgettes, Satin, Taffeta, Charmeuse* **$15**

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$10.00 —Serge, Silk and Satin Dresses for practically all occasions. The values are the most remarkable we have offered this season. Shop early for choice. **$12.95**

Suits —Stylish Winter Suits of Serge, Poplin and Gabardine. A very exceptional assortment in every way. **$10.00 $12.95**

Coats —Warm Coats with large convertible collars. Cheviots, Army Cloths and Novelty Mixtures with belts and pockets. **$10.00 $12.95**

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Weak, Thin People Made Strong and Fat

Weak, thin people—men or women—are nearly always nervous wrecks; thus conclusively proving that thinness, weakness, debility and neurasthenia are almost invariably due to nerve starvation. Feed your nerves and all these symptoms due to nerve starvation will disappear. Eminent specialists state that the best nerve food is an organic phosphate known among druggists as Bitro-Phosphate, a five-grain tablet of which should be taken with each meal. Being a genuine nerve builder and not a stimulant or habit forming drug, Bitro-Phosphate can be safely taken by the weakest and most delicate sufferer, and the results following its use are often simply astonishing. Weak, tired people regain strength and vigor; thinness and angularity give way to plumpness and curves, sleep returns to the sleepless, confidence and cheerfulness replace debility and gloom, dull eyes become bright, and pale, sunken cheeks regain the pink glow of health. Bitro-Phosphate, the use of which is inexpensive, also wonderfully promotes the assimilation of food, so much so that many people report marked gains of weight in a few weeks.

CAUTION.—Although Bitro-Phosphate is unsurpassed for relieving nervousness, sleeplessness and general weakness, it should not, owing to its remarkable flesh growing properties, be used by anyone who does not desire to put on flesh.

It is sold in this city by The Owl Drug Co. and all other first class druggists.—Advertisement.

SUED ON PORTRAIT

A portrait of Eugene A. Platt by Ossip Bichman, valued at $100, is the subject of a suit instituted by Leon A. Clark in the Superior Court today. Clark claims an assignment of the artist's fee, which he alleges is unpaid, and the suit against Platt, the subject of the portrait, is to collect the amount. The portrait was made in January this year.

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WIFE IS MISSING

Claiming that she was threatened with a beating, C. H. Baldwin of 2249 Twenty-third street, today asked the police to assist in a search for Mrs. Jane Isabella Baldwin, who disappeared from her home last Sunday. According to Baldwin, his wife has threatened to end her life. She has three children.

NOT FOR REBELS

Al Moore, a saloonkeeper in Alb[illegible], whose place was ordered closed and who is alleged to have assaulted Officer John Glavinovich with a club when the officer raided the place, pleaded not guilty today and the case was set for trial December 28.

RED CROSS BEGINS MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The preliminary work of the Christmas membership drive of the American Red Cross to secure 10,000,000 members, of which the quota from Alameda county is 49,226 has started under the chairmanship of Frank A. Leach, Jr., who is in charge of the campaign. A call has been sent out for assistance to aid in the work of making Oakland's portion of the drive one of the most successful on the coast.

The drive will last from December 17 to 24 inclusive. Business men, private and public interests, commercial institutions, clubs, fraternities and civic improvement clubs will be enlisted in the work. Chairman Leach is already at work on the appointment of committees for the various phases of the campaign which is being mapped out along whirlwind lines.

WORK IS EXPLAINED.

The general features of the drive are under the direction of A. S. Lavenson, chairman of the membership drive committee for the east bay counties. In explaining the work which the Red Cross has undertaken and the portion alloted to the Oakland chapter today, Lavenson said:

"Through a misunderstanding, the the organization of the campaign for Oakland was delayed several weeks. Oakland Chapter was fortunate in finding Frank A. Leach Jr. ready to take charge of the campaign, and under his direction some of the lost time will undoubtedly be made up.

"It is necessaary, however, that everybody lend a hand, and it is hoped that Mr. Leach will have sufficient offers of help to assure Oakland's fulfillment of her obligations.

NEED OF RELIEF.

"Every day we are getting a bigger conception of the Red Cross. While we have become accustomed to the almost fabulous amount of work done for the men at the front, we are reminded by such terrible disasters as that at Halifax, that the Red Cross must also be ready in all such cases for immediate relief. With the victims stunned by the suddenness and force of the blow, followed by blizzards that not only delayed relief but added tremendously to the suffering, the Red Cross organization takes on a ten-fold value, as being one dependable first aid source.

"There must be ten million people in the United States who would be glad to be friends in need to fellow beings so situated.

"We can never know when our time will come, and this phase of the Red Cross work should be emphasized in order that its wide field may be recognized."

Harold Bauer in Auditorium Recital Tonight

HAROLD BAUER, who appears tonight at the Auditorium Opera House.

Is Second Attraction in Series of Artist's Concerts.

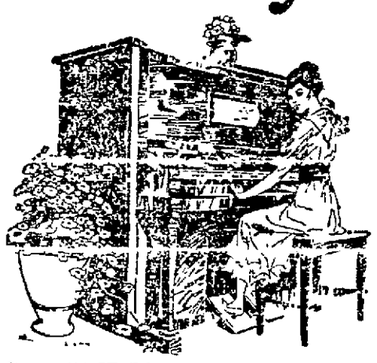
Harold Bauer, one of the world's master pianists, will be heard this evening in recital in the Auditorium Opera House as the second attraction in the series of Artists' Concerts under the auspices of the Music Section of the Oakland Teachers' Association. The following will be his program:

Sonata in C-major, opus 53.. Beethoven
Fantasiestucke, opus 12 .... Schumann
Nocturne in F-sharp.....Chopin
Scherzo in B-flat minor.. .....Chopin
Rondeau des songes..... .... Rameau
Les barricades mysterieuses.....Couperin
Rhapsody No. 13. ... .Liszt

HAS INVENTION.

Franklin Haws, a veteran of the Civil War, has received from Washington reports that encourage him to believe that an invention he perfected recently at his home 2658 Twenty-third avenue, will prove useful in the war. Haws is not at liberty to disclose anything of the nature of the invention.

12 Days More



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A good way to illustrate this point would be through comparison of baking powders.

Experience has taught me—and millions of other women that it doesn't pay to buy cheap baking powders. They cost a few cents less, but in the long run they are decidedly the most expensive. Because of the low grade materials employed in their manufacture they cause many bake day failures—and great loss of expensive ingredients. The housewife throws out, in wasted materials many times the amount saved on the cost of the baking powder. This is not economy, but extravagance.

True economy in baking powder demands the highest quality at the lowest price. Only baking powders that meet these demands should be used. Only baking powder that is made of the highest class ingredients so perfectly proportioned that it not only produces maximum leavening power but also *preserves* it.

Besides, the baking powder that meets the modern demand for economy should be economical in use—full strength—economical in cost—secured at a moderate price. The housewife should be able to effect a saving when buying—and another saving when using—and she should save materials it is used with.

That is economy in its highest form. Complete economy. The only kind of economy the housewife should attempt.

I have proved positively by exhaustive experiments and comparative tests that Calumet Baking Powder is best suited to these savings. It possesses the surety, the purity and goodness that make constant employment of utmost baking economy possible.

Maude Marie Costello

Note.—Miss Costello is already well known to most of the ladies of our city. She is of the Domestic Science Branch of the University of Chicago, a graduate of Lewis Institute, Supervisor of Domestic Science in Public Schools, Special Lecturer on Domestic Arts and Economy, Special Lecturer to the Women's Clubs.

HOWLAND'S CLAY STREET GROCERY

1211 Clay St., Bet. 12th and 13th Sts., Wednesday.

Genuine Imported CURRANTS per pound .....25¢	TRISCUIT, 2 for .....25¢
KINGSFORD'S OSWEGO CORN STARCH .....10¢	MRS. WRIGHT'S SPECIAL APPLE, PLUM, PEACH BUTTER, per jar .....25¢
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WELLMAN'S HOMINY— per can .....10¢	BLACKBERRIES, can .....20¢ (Always 35c)
Fancy, Big Cluster RAISINS— per pound .....10¢	KARO, per can .....15¢
PUDDING (R. & R.), can..10¢	A-1 NOODLES, 3 for .....25¢ (Regular 15c package)
BAKER'S COCOA, can ....20¢	CLOVERLEAF SOAP.....5¢
BAKER'S CHOCOLATE CAKE .....18¢	SHAKER SALT, 5 pkgs....23¢
	CHERRIES (always 35c)..25¢

GIFTS ---that will be liked!

If you have the slightest doubt what to give bring your Gift List to Howell-Dohrmann's and choose from a tremendous array of suitable things.

As you go from department to department and table to table, you'll find a lovely present for everyone you have in mind—man, woman or child! Why not come in tomorrow?

Beautiful Gifts From the SILVER SECTION

26-Piece Chest, $15.45—
containing ½ dozen each Knives, Forks, Tea Spoons and Soup Spoons. "Par Plate" Platedware, Bridal Wreath Pattern. Price is complete with chest.

Jam Jars, 75c, $1.00—
With plated silver top and spoon and jar of hand-engraved glass.

4-Piece Tea Set, $8.50—
A value which cannot be equaled in Oakland! Silver plated in the Butler finish on white metal. Has thread border. Set contains Sugar Bowl, Creamer, Spoon Holder and generous size Tea Pot.

Sheffield Silver Fruit Bowl, $12.25—
Stylish lines and has dull gold lining. Makes a handsome present

Sandwich and Bread Trays, $4.50, $4.75—
Hand hammered Sheffield Silver, beautiful designs. A wide assortment to choose from.

Cheese and Cracker Dish, $4.25—
A novel and quite new gift. We have many styles up to $8.50.

Sterling Silverware—
Not only have we a large stock of plated silverware but sterling as well. See our tableware and novelties.

Community Silver—
This extremely fine silver plate is shown here in every pattern made. Will give the recipient service for 50 years!

Some of the LATEST GIFT ARRIVALS

TRAYS—This year we offer an exceptionally large line of beautiful trays for serving: Walnut, Mahogany and Ebony—oblong and oval. Prices **$1.75, $2.00, $2.50** to **$5.00** to **$10.00.**

POTTERIES FOR $1. On one large table a special lot of Art Pottery Vases and Bowls, regular values up to $2.25, on *Special Sale at $1.*

Sweetmeat Boxes
Lacquered cases, assorted colors, with decorated china inserts—**$2.25** and **$2.50** ea.

Things to Make The Kiddies Happy
(In the Basement.)
Kewpie Feeding Trays, unbreakable 35c
19-piece Alminum Tea Sets $1.25
4-Piece, 8-Piece, 12-Piece Aluminum Toy Cooking Sets, in Holly Boxes, **50c, $1.15** and **$1.60,** respectively.
School Boxes with sandwich compartment and vacuum bottle, .. $3.00 complete
Pint Vacuum Bottle..$2.00
Pint Bottle Case $1.00
China Assorted Tinted Tea Sets 50c, 65c
Hot Water Feeding Plates—.....$1.75 to $2.50

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The spirit of Christmas is now reigning in the hearts of men and women—the spirit of good-will and hope and happiness. Santa Claus is the most illustrious person in the world just now—and the world is always the better for his annual sojourning among us.

The Basement Store is completely ready with sensible, practical gifts at low prices.

Gifts for Women

Special Sale—

Boudoir Caps 29c each

Dainty caps of silk charmingly combined with laces and finished with elastic bands. In many colors and styles. Exceptional values.

Fancy Tea Aprons 39c and 59c

Very attractive and serviceable gifts. Of sheer lawns and dimities with dainty ruffles, laces and hemstitched edges. Some are ribbon run.

Gift Blouses $3.69

Just out of their boxes—the very newest styles arrived for Christmas. Silk crepe de chine and lace blouses prettily trimmed. A gift, useful and attractive, and will be much appreciated

Women's Sweaters

What gift could give more pleasure or more service than a stylish sweater? Both large collar and ruff-neck styles in a large range of colors. Winter weight, firmly and closely woven. Prices $3.39 to $4.95.

Fancy Bureau Scarfs 29c

Of linene—looks and wears like linen—and trimmed with lace and insertions, or with plain hemstitching. A very acceptable gift at little cost.

Scalloped Table Cloths 89c each

Round table cloths of fine quality mercerized damask in many desirable patterns. With lock-stitch finished scalloped edge 54-inch size.

Cretonne Cushions $1.98 each

For a girl's room, a man's den or the family living room a pretty cretonne cushion is always welcome. In handsome designs and rich colorings, trimmed with silk and tassels.

(On Sale in the Basement Store Only)

Gifts for Men

President Suspenders In a Christmas Box 50c

Every man will appreciate a pair of these well-known, reliable suspenders Good quality that wears excellently.

New Neckties 48c each In Gift Boxes

Men's new plain color four-in-hand ties, made of heavy silk poplin. New and nobby Large assortment of colors. Will wear well.

Garters and Arm Bands, Set 50c

Paris or Boston garter and arm band sets in neat, folding boxes Good assortment of colors and sterling quality throughout.

Men's Lounging Robes $3.79

Warm, cosy robes in a large assortment of colors and patterns, including Indian designs; all finished with cord and tassels. Extra heavy and cut full; of durable, attractive robing. Excellent value.

Sale of Robing, Yd. 45c

A timely bargain for those who are making bath robes for Christmas gifts! Heavy, fleeced robing in a large assortment of conventional and Indian designs.

Women's Silk Lisle Hosiery $1.00

Regular 60c Values—3 Pair for .....

Bought of the country's leading manufacturer at a big price concession because of a few slight imperfections. In the great majority of mills they would have been passed for perfect without a question. Made with reinforced heel and toe, wide garter top. Colors, khaki, champagne, mahogany, white, gray, tan, sky blue and fawn. All sizes. Come early as these are too good to last long.

Clearance Sale of Serge and Silk Dresses

Former $12.95 and $14.95 Values — $8.95

Very smart and stylish Dresses of silk messaline and durable serge. Made in various charming styles. Dresses that you'll want to try-on, to own and to wear. The modest price in no way represents their looks or real value.

Suits Reduced to

Former $16.95 and $18.95 Values — $12.95

Serges, diagonals, and fancy weaves in Winter styles. Many smart models from which to choose. All included in the clearance sale. In navy and black only.

Basement Clearance Sale of

Women's Coats

Former $16.95 and $18.95 Values for ..... — $13.75

For Coats already marked underprice, as these were from the very beginning, this represents an astonishing value.

The lot includes plain meltons, velours and fancy weaves. Colors, brown, black, green, navy and burgundy. Some very attractive models have large fur collars, others have cloth collars. Some are belted, others are in flare styles. Women with coat needs should not overlook this chance to save.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

Capwell's Clay, Fourteenth and Fifteenth sts.

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Good Glasses Reasonably Priced

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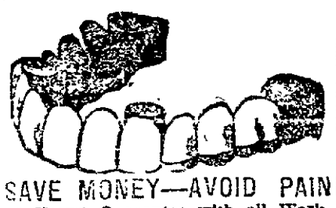

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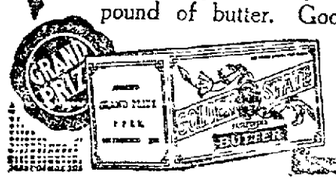

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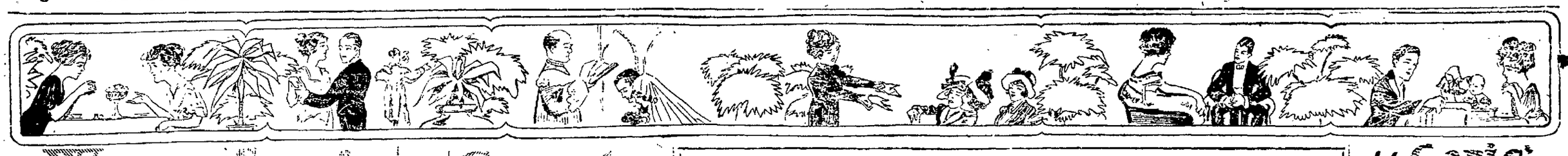

News of Womens Clubs

By Edna B. Kinard

The Christmas spirit prevailed at Ebell club today. It was the forty-first birthday of the club and the annual jinks were planned on a more elaborate scale than ever before as far as lighting effects and costuming are concerned. Vari colored lights played upon beautiful tableaux which were a feature of a splendid program produced under the direction of Miss [illegible] of California. "The Yuletide Spirit" a picture fantasy was written by Mrs. Frederick S. Samuels, while the whole was managed by Mrs. Richard Holmes Kessler, executive chairman. Mrs. William Mitchell Bunker, Mrs. Louis F. Cockroft, Mrs. John R. Scupham, and Mrs. Frederick Samuels were the arrangement committee and the hostesses the charter members who were members of the society in the fiscal year 1893-94 and the past presidents.

The annual breakfast preceded the program, the tables handsomely adorned with Christmas decorations and favors and about them were seated the several hundred who comprise the membership of the club. The birthday ceremony by Mrs. A. M. Esterle was the opening number of the after breakfast program followed by a clever resume of Ebells past events by Mrs. C. J. Woodbury entitled, "I'll Follow My Mother to Market."

"The Yuletide Spirit" picture fantasies of "The Puritan Christmas"; "The Colonial Christmas"; "Christmas Before the War" and "The Christmas of Today," were all marked by a series of prologues given by the Christmas Spirit in the person of Miss M. F. Ritson.

Then came the spirit of Ebell at the close of thelast episode presenting the gift for Christmas of the present day—"Service-Love-Friendship"—the motto of Ebell.

Mrs. A.L. Cunningham was a dashing Miles Standish and America, Mrs. Franfl K. Mott, her costume one of the handsomest worn.

There were Puritans, Nurses and Relief Workers in the persons of Misses Farley, Leach, Pardee, Dean, Huntley, Perkins, and Mesdames Adams and Morrow.

Colonial dames were impersonated by Mrs. Frederick Samuels, Mrs. Daniel Easterbrook, Mrs. Harmon Bell, Mrs. John A. Britton Jr., Mrs. Newton S. Farley and the Misses Hadley, Atwater, Burtchaell and Pardee.

Southern Ladies were Miss Emma Pfluger, Mrs. George A. Kretsinger and Mrs. L. B. Gilpin.

The Misses Bell and Beretta were pages while the cakewalk was danced by Mrs. E. P. Vaughan, Mrs. J. L. Fuller, Mrs. Walter G. Manuel and Mrs. Chester Cooper Borton.

And so Ebell's birthday was the merriest of the year and one which will be remembered many years to come.

Alameda County Council of Defense is to hold its regular monthly business meeting tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock with Mrs. Frederick C. Turner, chairman, presiding. Important business is to be discussed by the different chairmen of departments and all units. The new office of the Alameda County Council of Defense is now located on the ninth floor of the City Hall and it is here that the members will convene tomorrow morning.

In the school club rooms, the Durant school Mothers' Club this afternoon entertained the members of the graduating class. Refreshments were served following the reception. The appointments of the club rooms were in rose and silver together with the class colors. Those named for receiving were Mrs. R. M. Hamb, president of the Durant Mothers' Club, Mrs. E. E. Greenman, Miss Marty Principi is class president. Following the formal exercises and reception there was dancing during the later hours.

Friday evening the Mothers' club will hold its monthly moving picture entertainment.

Plans are now in the making for a Christmas tree party for the small children, to be given under the auspices of the kindergarten department.

Miniature prairie schooners winding their way across the "plains" laden with Christmas holly berries and greens was the decorative scheme artistically carried out at the annual breakfast for the Daughters of California Pioneers, of which many prominent Oakland women are members. The "breakfast" was served in Pioneer hall, seven [illegible] attending Saturday afternoon in San Francisco. Mrs. Millie Scott Biven, sister of J. Walter Scott of Oakland is president of the organization. Following the breakfast a reception was held in honor of several prominent speakers who addressed the members earlier in the day.

Among the prominent honor guests was Mrs. Marion Taylor of Piedmont, who in a stirring address paid tribute to the flag and the "boys" who are giving their lives for the honor of their country. A pretty compliment to the club's president, Mrs. Biven, was paid when Mrs. Taylor remarked that the first official act of the club's president was the purchase of a liberty bond. Mrs. Bivens is the mother of five native sons, one of whom is doing his bit for his country.

Frederick Russ, the president of the Society of California Pioneers, was the guest of honor at the reception. Mrs. W. C. Morrow and Mrs. North-Whitcomb, Mrs. Josephine Martin and Mrs. Ella Lees Leigh were other speakers. Mrs. Leigh gave readings of Bret Harte's works.

Tomorrow afternoon the program at the Oakland Club is to be arranged by Mrs. John Newton Porter, the speaker of the occasion to be United States Shipping Commissioner Walter Macarthur. The Lockwood school boys' band is to furnish a musical program and Mrs. George Coolidge will be soloist.

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Society

Society is today apprised of the betrothal of one of its favorite debutantes, Miss Amy Long, daughter of General and Mrs. Oscar Fitzalan Long of Piedmont, and Lieutenant Charles Zook Sutton, U. S. R., the formal announcement of the engagement having been made known at a delightful luncheon at the Long home [illegible] showers of congratulations followed the interesting bit of news, the guests including many of Miss Long's friends from San Francisco as well as the east bay cities.

Miss Long is the eldest of two charming daughters, the youngest being Miss Sally Long. Her cousins are the Misses Amy and Alice Requa, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Lawrence Requa who now reside in Washington, D. C.

Miss Amy Long has never made her formal bow to society, choosing to continue her studies and in the past year has taken a complete business course at one of the local colleges and though devoting the major part of her time to her work did not give up her social activities entirely, since she has always been one of the most popular members of the debutante set. Both daughters are expert tennis players and have taken part in many large tournaments.

Lieutenant Sutton is a graduate of the University of California and though his father, Ernest Z. Sutton, is a resident of Pasadena, he has always resided in the bay section. Before entering the service of his country he was identified with a large contracting firm across the bay. Lieutenant Sutton is a member of the Zeta Psi fraternity. He received his commission as a first Lieutenant at the close of the training course at the Presidio last June, and since then has been stationed at American Lake.

At the luncheon yesterday afternoon at the Long home were assembled Miss Cornelia Clampett, Miss Elsa Scrilling, Miss Julia Van Fleet, Miss Sally Long, Miss Jean Wheeler, Miss Mary Adams, Miss Janet Knox, Miss Elena Eyre, Miss Marjorie Henderson, Miss Flora Miller, Miss Elizabeth Adams, Miss Beatrice Simpson, Miss Kate Crocker, and Mrs. E. Swift Hain.

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An informal afternoon tea, which was attended by nearly half a hundred of the younger matrons and east bay belles, was that given this afternoon by Mrs. Charles J. Doughty, who entertained at her pretty new residence in Palmero Court, near Grand street, Alameda. Mrs. Doughty did not plan the affair for any one in particular, but quite interesting was the fact that among the guests were many of the brides-elect whose weddings are not far distant. The living rooms were effectively arranged in a profusion of autumn foliage and blooms. Among those who called were Mrs. Oliver D. Hamlin, Mrs. Grant Lohmann, Mrs. Dudley Dexter, Mrs. Herbert Jones, Mrs. James Hamilton Todd Jr., Mrs. Frank Makinson, Mrs. Harry Spencer, Mrs. Lance Osborne, Mrs. Donald Pearson, Mrs. Arthur Oppenheimer, Mrs. Edwin Anthony, Mrs. George Vesper, Mrs. Wallace Ransom, Mrs. Horace Meek, Mrs. Clarence Burtchaell, Mrs. Philip Plummer, Mrs. Wade Snook, Mrs. George Farrell, Mrs. Emerson McMillan Butterworth, Mrs. Edwin Norman, Mrs. Jack Partington, Mrs. Thomas Johnson, Mrs. Claud Littlepeg and Miss Alice Buteau, Miss Amy Whitney, Miss Mary Hillman, Miss Marion Sproul, Miss Doris Bornemann, Miss Madeline Ross, Miss Rachael Genung, Miss Jane Bangs, Miss Maud Mitchell, Miss Dorothy Warren, Miss Marjorie Merritt, Miss Roberta Belcher, Miss Lila Lundstrom, Miss Rosalie Lundstrom, Miss Isabel Nason, Miss Britta Selander, Miss Holly Mallett, Miss Louisa Huntley and Miss Dorothy Soule.

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The dancing party given by the group of school girls from Miss Horton's school last Saturday evening at the Home Club was the medium through which the coterie of friends raised quite a sum of money to be added to the cigarette fund for soldiers and sailors. Between forty and fifty dollars was contributed for "smokes" for the sailor boys and the committee in charge reports that there are still some returns to be made. The dance was attended by a large number of the school set of the bay cities.

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Miss Marion Sproul, the dainty daughter of Mrs. J. D. Sproul of Marysville, is again visiting in the bay cities from her home in Chico. They are guests at the Hotel Shattuck for an indefinite period.

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Miss Calthea Vivian has closed her two weeks' exhibition of paintings, the last exhibit having been held Sunday afternoon at an informal tea at her studio in Scenic avenue. There were about one hundred guests who called between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock. Forty canvases, representing European and California scenes, were shown, while many of the scenes were of the surrounding bay section. Readings were given by Miss A. Hanford, while Mrs. Kellogg gave her version of Edwin Markham's "Lincoln." Dr. J. P. Grant gave several of his own sonnets. Following the holidays Miss Vivian is to keep open house upon Saturday afternoons from 2:30 to 5 o'clock.

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Thursday of this week is the day for the fancy work sale given under the auspices of the West Oakland Home at the home of Mrs. Charles Neal on Sherman street, Alameda. The proceeds from this sale are to be added to the receipts from the annual doll show and will increase the amount a good deal. Mrs. Neal will open her home at 1 o'clock, and those presiding besides the hostess will be Mrs. Landers Redman, Mrs. J. G. Hoyt, Mrs. J. F. Ames, Mrs. Sidney J. Conger and Mrs. W. E. Amann.

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Mrs. T. Arthur Rickard and Mrs. Frederick W. Bradley are to be joint hostesses on the evening of December 14, at the home of Mrs. Bradley, the affair being planned to aid the wives of British dependents. The evening is planned in connection with the Overseas Club. Mrs. Rickard has given of her talent to many a benefit the past season, and for some of the most delightful programs the guests have been indebted to her. Those wishing to [illegible] tickets for the benefit may procure them from either Mrs. Rickard at her home in Berkeley or from Mrs. Bradley, whose home is across the bay.

Those who are to act as patrons and patronesses for that evening are to be Mr. and Mrs. A. Carnegie Ross, Mrs. Charles J. Deering, Mrs. John F. Davis, Mayor and Mrs. James Rolph Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. Spens Black, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maas, Dr. and Mrs. Wallace K. Terry, Dr. and Mrs. James A. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wingate, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Sesnon and Mrs. Frank West.

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California girls are making a name for themselves in the field of art in the East. Miss Margaret Bruton, daughter of Daniel Bruton of St. Charles street, Alameda, has returned to her home in Alameda after four years of school study in a New York school of art. She will return later to resume her studies in the Eastern metropolis.

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Miss Emily Stevens, who is the daughter of Mrs. Julia Sanborn of Berkeley, is now in Monterey, where she is at work upon several interesting sketches.

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Mrs. Martha Ehrenberg and her daughter, Miss Harriet Ehrenberg, have returned from their Eastern trip, having spent some time as the guests of Miss Agnes Ehrenberg in New York. Miss Agnes Ehrenberg is speaking at Columbia University.

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Council for the Defense

by Leroy Scott.

(Continued from Yesterday.)

She did not see how it could be, she could not understand his motive, but in the sickly face of Dr. Sherman, in his strained manner, she now read guilt.

Thrilling with an unexpected hope, Katherine rose and tried to keep herself before the eyes of Dr. Sherman like an accusing conscience. But he avoided her gaze, and told his story in every detail just as when Dr. West had been first accused. When Kennedy turned him over for cross-examination, Katherine walked up before him and looked him straight in the eyes for a full moment without speaking. He could no longer avoid her gaze. In his eyes she read something that seemed to her like mortal terror.

"Dr. Sherman," she said slowly, clearly, "there is nothing you would like to add to your testimony?"

His words were a long time coming. Katherine's life hung suspended while she waited his answer.

"Nothing," he said.

"There is no fact, no detail, that you may have omitted in your direct testimony, that you now desire to supply".

"Nothing."

"You wish to go on record, then, before this court, before this audience, before the God to whom you have appealed in your oath, as having told the truth, the wole truth, and noting but the truth?"

He averted his eyes and was silent a moment. For that moment Blake, back in the audience, did not breathe. To the crowd it seemed that Dr. Sherman was searching his mind for some possible trivial omission. To Katherine it seemed that he was in the throes of a final struggle.

"You wish thus to go on record?" she solemnly insisted.

He looked back at her.

"I do!" he said.

She realized now how desperate was this man's determination, how tightly his lips were locked. But she had picked up another thread of this tangled skein, and that made her exult with a new hope; and she went spiritedly at the cross-examination of Dr. Sherman, striving to break him down. So sharp, so rigid, so searching were her questions that there were murmurs in the audience against such treatment of a sincere, high-minded man of God. But the swiftness and cleverness of her attack availed her nothing. Dr. Sherman, nerved by last evening's talk beside the river, made never a slip.

From the moment she reluctantly discharged him she felt that her chance—her chance for that day—was gone. But she was there to fight to the end, and she put her only witness, her father, upon the stand.

His defense—that he was the victim of a misunderstanding—was smiled at by the court-room, and apparently with good reason, since Kennedy, in anticipation of this line of defense, had introduced the check from the Acme Filter Company which Dr. West had turned over to the hospital board, to prove that the company's donation was in Dr. West's hands at the time when he had received the bribe from Mr. Marcy. Even Katherine had to admit within herself that the story appeared [illegible] in its lacking in plausibility, compared to the truth-visaged falsehoods of the prosecution. Nevertheless, when Kennedy had concluded his rather perfunctory address—the case seemed too easy to be worthy his most strenuous exertion—she called up her every resource, she remembered that truth was on her side, and she presented the case clearly and logically, ending with a strong and eloquent plea for her father.

As she sat down, there was a profound hush in the courtroom. Her father squeezed her hand; tears stood in his eyes.

"Whatever happens," he whispered, "I'm proud of my daughter!"

Stimulated by the emotion of the moment, aroused by her own speech, and by her sense of the righteousness of her cause, Katherine watched the jury go out with a certain hope. She still clung to that hope when, after a short absence, the jury filed back in. She rose and held her breath while they took their seats.

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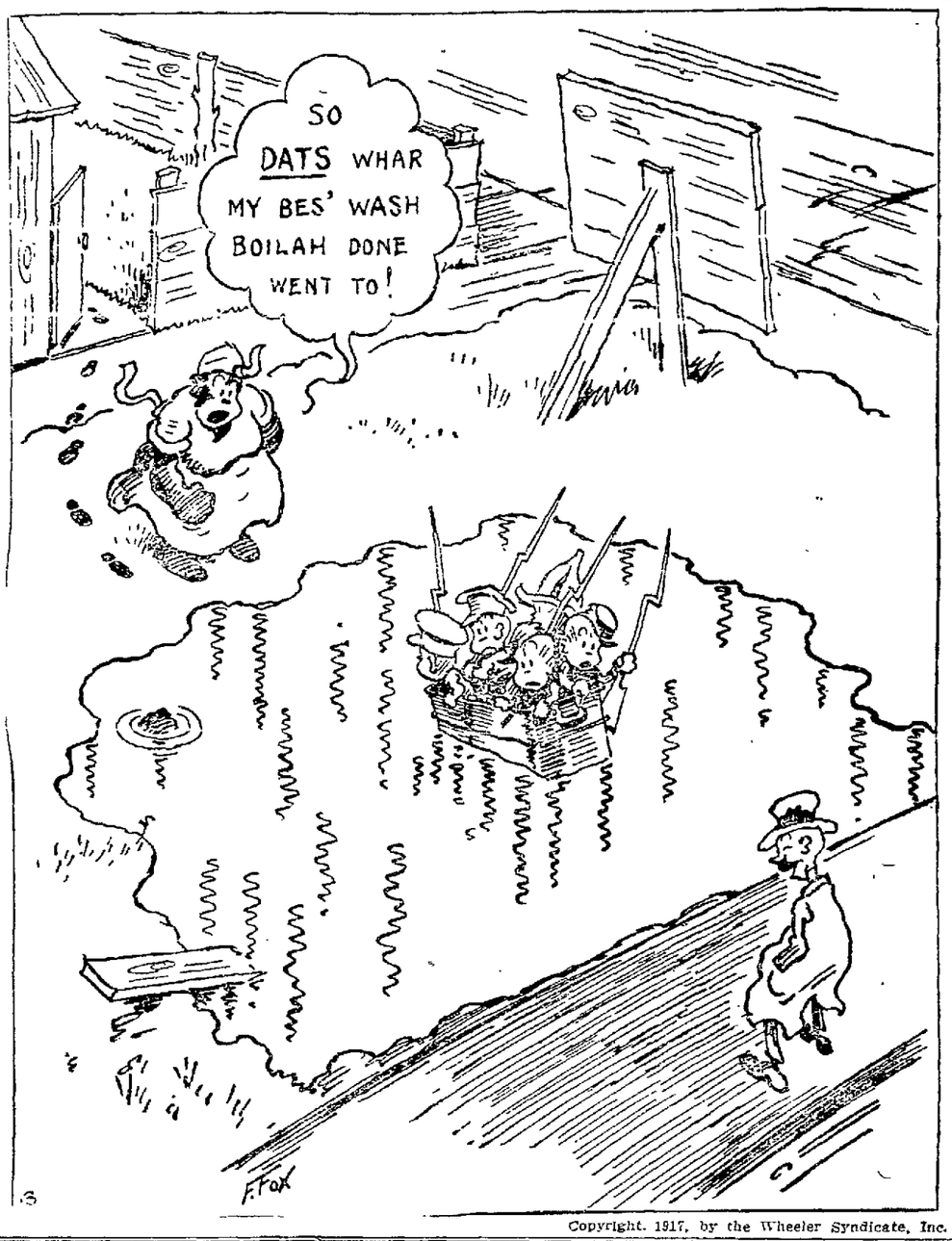

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Thin Cream
Half Cups Coffee

COOKIES AND SMALL CAKES

Oatmeal Cookies—Two cupfuls sugar, one cupful butter or lard, two eggs, two cupfuls sour milk, one teaspoonful soda. Raisins or currants may be added if liked. Make batter that will drop from spoon, using one-third flour and two-thirds rolled oats. Sweet milk can be used by omitting soda and using three teaspoonfuls baking powder.

Seed Cakes—One cupful butter and two cupfuls sugar, stirred smooth; add three eggs, one large spoonful amise seed. Stir all together, then add flour enough to roll out. This makes seventy cakes. Must be rolled thin. Will last indefinitely if not eaten.

"Rocks"—One and one-half cupfuls granulated sugar, one cupful butter, three eggs, three cupfuls flour, one teaspoonful soda in one tablespoonful hot water, one pound dates, one pound English walnuts, one teaspoonful cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful cloves.

Ginger Drop Cakes—One cupful baking molasses, one cupful warm water, one tablespoonful lard or any kind of shortening, four and one-fourth cupfuls flour, one-half teaspoonful cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful cloves, one-half teaspoonful allspice, a very little salt.

Mix sugar, molasses, lard together, Add warm water; add soda in a little warm water. Sift spices and flour. Drop on greased pans. Sprinkle granulated sugar on top.

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Green Tomato Relish—Chop fine half bushel green tomatoes and squeeze them dry. Put into large bowl and mix in three pounds minced onions, a dozen green peppers, chopped fine, four ounces mustard, two ounces celery seed, a little less than a pint of salt, a large root of finely grated horseradish. When thoroughly macerated put mixture into a stone jar. Pour over enough vinegar to cover. Then take one quart vinegar and one cupful of sugar. Put on stove to boil. Take one cupful flour, one-half can mustard, one tablespoonful turmeric, mix with a little cold water. Pour over this boiled vinegar and boil two minutes. When cool mix it into the relish. Tie stout paper over the jar.

Loony Lyrics

By Morris Miller

"Though there's often appearing in Print
Many cures for a Wart or a Squint —
Beauty Hints by the score
Yet 'twould please us
if more
Of our Young Women COULD take a Hint.

Uncle Sam's Food Bulletin.

How many of us are cheerfully giving up meat two days a week and feel proud of it, asks today's bulletin of the National Emergency Food Garden Commission of Washington.

There are so many substitutes for meat that when we think the matter over it is not a hardship at all to give up one-third or even one-half of our meat ration. The most common substitutes for meat are poultry, eggs, peas, beans, nuts, peanuts, milk and cheese, and combinations of two or more of these. The lesson today is on the use of beans and peas.

BOSTON ROAST.

1 cup dry kidney beans.
½ cup bread crumbs.
1 cup grated cheese.
1½ teaspoonful salt.
½ cup milk or water.
½ tablespoon chopped onion.

Soak the beans 24 hours. Cook in salted water until soft. Drain, put through a coarse sieve, add the onion, cheese, crumbs and salt and quarter cupful of milk, or the same amount of water in which the beans were cooked. Form into a loaf and bake in a moderate oven for 40 minutes. Baste occasionally with hot water and fat. Serve with tomato sauce. This is enough for five or six people.

Garis' Kiddie Korner

(By Howard R. Garis)

"Well, what are you going to do today?" asked Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady housekeeper, of Uncle Wiggily Longears, the bunny rabbit, as he came out on the front porch of his hollow stump bungalow one morning.

"I'm going to pick the cucumbers in my garden," he answered. "They are ready to gather now, and make into pickles for the winter. That will be your part, Nurse Jane. I'll pick them," [illegible] said the muskrat lady, "for you know cucumbers and pickles have sharp spines, or stickers, on them and if they get in your paws they'll hurt."

"I'll be careful," promised Uncle Wiggily. "I'll put on my rubber boots and wear heavy gloves when I gather the cucumbers."

Pretty soon, wearing a big straw hat, instead of his tall silk one, to keep off the sun, and with his boots and gloves, Uncle Wiggily went down in the garden to pick pickles.

As Nurse Jane had said, the long, green pickles did have on them sharp spines, or stickers. The reason you don't see any on the pickles that come to your table is because they have been rubbed off in the vinegar. But you can see the places where the stickers were—those humps and bumpy places, like warts on a toad's back.

"I'll have a fine lot of pickled cucumbers this winter," said Uncle Wiggily as he picked away in his garden.

The old gentleman rabbit had his basket nearly filled with cucumbers, which would soon be turned into pickles by Nurse Jane, when, all of a sudden, Uncle Wiggily saw a very little pickle—a regular baby one—fast to the vine stem.

"Oh, ho! You are entirely too little to pick," said the rabbit. "You'll be no good at all. You'd be lost in the vinegar and salt water where the others are going to have a swim. I'm sorry, but I guess I don't want you."

"Oh, please take me!" begged the baby pickle. "I want to go with the others. I don't want to be left in the garden all alone when Jack Frost comes."

"Oh, no, you are too little," said the rabbit gentleman. "I can't use you. But I'll pick you and leave you here. Maybe some of the animal children can make a doll's pickle of you. I guess you're large enough for that, but not for the kind Nurse Jane makes."

So Uncle Wiggily picked the baby pickle and left it on the ground, sad and alone, and then the bunny rabbit gentleman went on filling his basket with the large sized cucumbers.

After a while, when Mr. Longears was about ready to take the basket of pickles in, for Nurse Jane to attend to, all of a sudden into the garden jumped the bad old fox.

"Oh, ho! And ah, ha!" snickered the bad old fox. "I see I am just in time!" And he smacked his lips.

"Time for what?" asked Uncle Wiggily. "Do you mean in time for picking pickles?"

"Indeed and I don't mean that!" exclaimed the fox, blinking his eyes. "I mean I'm just in time to grab you and take you off to my den. I don't care for pickles anyhow. I've had the mumps and even the thought of anything sour makes me feel sort of lackskiddaddle like. No pickles for me! But I'll take you!" and he opened his eyes real wide and stared at Uncle Wiggily.

"Oh, please don't take me away, here [illegible] make pickles!" begged the bunny rabbit gentleman. "Please!"

"Yes, I shall, too!" snickered the fox. "I'm going to take you away right now!"

With that he made a jump for Uncle Wiggily, but just then the baby pickle, seeing what was going to happen, gave a roll down hill, and right under the feet of the bad fox she twisted herself.

The fox stepped on the sharp, stiff, spinery stickers of the baby pickle and then that fox gave one howl and a yowl and cried:

"Oh, my! Oh, dear me! Oh, sassafras and sweet spirits of nitre! I've stepped on a paper of pins, some tacks, some needles and a lot of chestnut burrs! Oh, woe is me! Oh, wow!"

And then, with his feet all pickled stickers and prickers, away ran that fox to the dentist to have them pulled out, and so he didn't get Uncle Wiggily after all.

"Well, I guess I'll pickle you along with the rest," said the bunny to the baby cucumber. "You are braver than I thought! Thank you for saving me from the fox."

Then he put the baby pickle in his basket, making the tiny cucumber very happy, for she was not left alone in the garden.

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HUME ESTATE APPRAISED.

An appraisement of the estate of the late Piedmont capitalist, William R. Hume, shows that he died possessed of property of a value of $316,272. The principal heirs are C. E. Hume, his brother; Mrs. Dorothy Hume Reeves and Helen Potter, nieces, and Clarence Potter, nephew. Hume died February 1, this year.

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BABY HOSPITAL BOARD ELECTS

The annual report for the year 1916-17 of the Baby Hospital Association, was read yesterday at a meeting of the Board of Managers at the home at Fifty-first and Dover streets. Mrs. Samuel M. Marks presided, and the following reports of the year's work by the chairman of the various branches, the nominating committee gave a report of those who are to serve for the next three years in office. These were Mrs. Elwyn Stebbins, Mrs. Harry Weihe, Miss Adelaide Smith, Mrs. William Knowles, Mrs. Wallace Wheaton Briggs, Mrs. T. Arthur Rickard, Miss Jane Barry, Miss Joy Wilson, Mrs. Maurice Ballin and Mrs. Charles R. Lloyd.

Miss Jane Barry and Miss Joy Wilson succeed in office Mrs. Frank K. Mott and Mrs. Walter Schockley.

E. K. Taylor, A. L. Lavenson and Harrison Robinson were named as board of directors.

The Birthday Club reported having received subscriptions to the amount of $1068.16.

The clinic report read by Mrs. Bruce Cornwall, showed a daily average of attendance at the hospital of 62 patients. Saturday clinics are now receiving to accommodate many. The dental clinic is open daily.

Mrs. Marks spoke of the wonderful power of concentration and co-operation of all the women who go to make up this organization. The work of the branches, managers and executive staff of the hospital was praised.

The report for the year of the clinic was read by Miss Molly Flack, superintendent, and showed that 50 per cent of the work was done absolutely free of charge, and 40 per cent partial payment. The report is as follows:

Number of patients remaining in hospital December 1, 1916, 25; number of patients admitted since that date, 898; number of patients discharged since that date, 897; number of patients remaining, 1917, 14; total number of days service, 7621; total number of days free, 3926; total number partial payment, 2858; total number at $2 per day, 657; total number at $3 per day, 203; average per day, 21; number surgical operations, 677; number new medical cases, 266; number of deaths, 33; rate of death, 3½ per cent; amount of hospital fees, $4810 79, and amount of fees due and payable, $731 84.

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CULTIVATION OF ART WILL CURE AFTER-WAR EVIL

The war prisoners of today are among those who have the future in their keeping, said W. H. Carruth of the English department of Stanford university speaking this morning to the student body of Mills college on "Some Phase of War and the Arts." Due to the non-exchange of prisoners, those men who escape disease in prison camps will be a strong feature in development following the war.

It is the part of wisdom, said the speaker, to adjust our thoughts to the new earth that will come after the war. A plea for the cultivation of the arts in order to maintain sanity and keep heads cool during the war was made by Professor Carruth. Art must support religion in this endeavor, in his opinion. The world must travel toward universal brotherhood, and poetry and arts will maintain this direction in the midst of war. The world cannot live by hate. It is not necessary to hate in order to fight, in Professor Carruth's opinion. This country does not need to inculcate Germany's doctrine of hatred.

Professor Carruth read a number of his own compositions among them being "The Draft," "The Hohenzollerns," "The Red Cross Drive," "The New Joseph," dedicated to Herbert Hoover; "The Boar Hunt" and "The New Earth."

YSAYE DISPLAYS ABILITY OF OLD

BY RAY C. B. BROWN.

There is something of the stately and the heroic about the figure of Eugene Ysaye as he appears before us this season in what will probably be his farewell visit to the western verge of the continent. It is not only that he is a Belgium embodying his portion of the indomitable spirit of that people, but there is the presence as well of his personal heroism in starting forth at the age of 59 to rebuild his fortunes shattered by the onslaught of armed invasion. And he possesses moreover the "grand air"—that emanation of serenity and conscious power that has wellnigh disappeared in a modern world of democratic manners.

GAINS AND LOSSES.

His first San Francisco program revealed both gains and losses in his artistry, viewed as a whole. There was noticeable a dimming of the golden glow of his full, open tone, and there were one or two slips in execution that would not have happened a few years back. But it is doubtful if there is another violinist living who can put into sostenuto passages and pianissimo tones the ineffable means that he does. His gain has been in spirituality, in the ability to penetrate through externals to the essential thought of the composer and to present it to his auditors, clarified and surcharged with magnetic potency.

This quality of his art was most prominent in the sarabande of the Geminiani suite, the andante of the Kreutzer sonata, the romance of the Wieniawski concerto and his own "Reve d'enfant." This last composition is a lyric lovely in its beauty, in which the naivette of childish imagination is portrayed in the melodic line, the shifting of dream-figures in the vagueness of tonality now and then and the innocence of infancy in the simplicity of [illegible]

The Kreutzer sonata was read with a rare insight, with sympathy, with passion and with an exact appreciation of its subtle mingling of poesy and intellectuality. His playing of the familiar Wieniawski concerto in D minor, the Havanaise of Saint-Saens and the Ballade and Polonaise of Vieuxtemps was of a character that emphasized the poetic rather than the technical side. That is the highest point of virtuosity—the ability to make a perfect technique unobstrusive.

RUBENSTEIN A SUCCESS.

Beryl Rubenstein, a young pianist, who has but recently come to the fore in New York, proved an accompanist of discrimination. He is fully equipped for the difficult task, possessing an impeccable fluency and a pleasing tone, and he ever successfully subdued himself to the sustaining role. His share in the Kreutzer sonata was performed with noteworthy excellence, and it was rather a disappointment to have him present as his soli two such empty pieces of clangorous bravura as Liszt's "Campanella" and Vincent d'Indy's "L'air de la montagne."

The same program will be presented in Oakland next Monday night. Another recital, with a different selection of numbers, will be given in San Francisco next Sunday afternoon.

WORK HARD TO WIN LAST SHARE

The "over the top" drive of the women of the Young Women's Christian Association, who are seeking to raise the final $3000 of the local allotment of $30,000 for the association war fund, assigned by the national body, is on today. Reports from thirteen teams in the field indicate a total of $26,196 already collected, with Mrs. Wallace Alexander of Piedmont bringing in an individual contribution of $1025—the record for the day's work.

Team No. 1, Mrs. Louis Cockroft captain, which had been the honor team of the campaign for four successive days, went down to a decisive defeat suffered at the hands of team No. 5, Mrs. J. T. Richards captain. Mrs. Richards reported $723.05, while Mrs. Cockroft's team reported $595, taking second place. Team No. 3, Mrs. C. H. Rowe captain, was third with $275.

Everybody who has in any way been connected with this campaign is invited to attend a jubilee supper at 6 30 o'clock this evening to celebrate the success in raising Oakland's apportionment.

OPIUM IS SEIZED

Opium smoking outfits and quantities of the illicit drug were taken in a raid late yesterday by inspectors of the State Board of Pharmacy and a squad of police under Corporal E. W. Brock, when Gee Jo of 363 Ninth street and Fong Jo were arrested. They were arraigned in the police court today, and the cases continued. According to the police this is the third time that Pong Jo has been arrested on similar charges.

McCARL ARRESTED

Accused of practicing medicine without a license, John J. McCarl, a chiropractor with offices in the Pacific building, was taken into custody last night by the police and Clarence J. Prentice, special agent for the State Board of Medical Examiners. In similar cases handled in the police courts recently the defendants have been fined.

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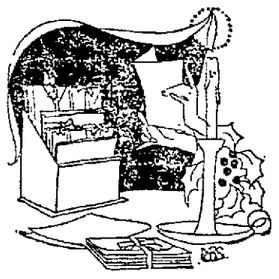

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—BOOKS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS—The Boy Scout Series, 18 books; The Tom Swift Series; Black Beauty; The Bobbsey Twins; The Camp Fire Girls, 7 books; Alice in Wonderland, and ever so many others at **39c**

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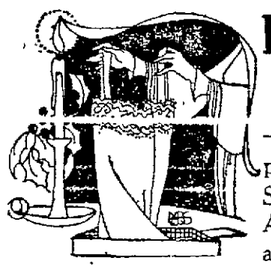
—From time immemorial, Gloves have been given a prominent place on the Christmas gift list. They are just as acceptable now as ever before. If you prefer, you can give a Glove Certificate which is just as acceptable to the recipient. Glove prices ..... **$1.50 to $3.50**

Ladies' Neckwear for Xmas

—And choosing the Neckwear from our selections will afford you as much pleasure as it affords the recipient, for our stocks are of more than ordinary interest at this Christmas period. Prices ..... **50c to $3.50**



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COLD STORAGE EGGS— Large Fancy, Dozen	39c
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HEINZ CHILI SAUCE— Medium Bottle	27c
COTTAGE STRING BEANS, Tin	11c
INDEX SLICED PINEAPPLE—Tall Tin	11c

Practical Gifts

Beacon Bath Robe Blankets, each	$3.95
Wool Auto Robes—neat patterns, each	$5.95
California White Wool Blankets, pair	$6.95
Beautiful Comforters (wool-filled), each	$5.75
Fancy Turkish Towels, in all colors, each	60¢
Colored Border Towels featured at	25¢
Kayser Silk Hose, in all colors, pair	$1.35
Onyx Silk Hose, in all colors, pair	$1.10
McCallum Silk Hose, in black only, pair	$1.50
Ladies' Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs, each	25¢
Ladies' Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, each	25¢
Men's Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, each	25¢
Dainty Boudoir Caps, in gift boxes	69¢
Novelty Flower Baskets, each	$1.25
Leatherette Collar and Cuff Boxes, each	$1.75
Cretonne Knitting Bags, special	$1.00
Children's Dolly Work Boxes, each	65¢
Hand-Painted Novelty Tie Racks	35¢

Xmas Gifts for Infants

BABY TRINKETS — Rattles, Comb and Brush Sets, Floating Toys, Celluloid Trays, Hand-Painted Ivorette Ribbon Boxes, Banks, Hand-Painted Baby Records. Carriage Straps and many other Trinkets too numerous to mention. **15c to $3.50**

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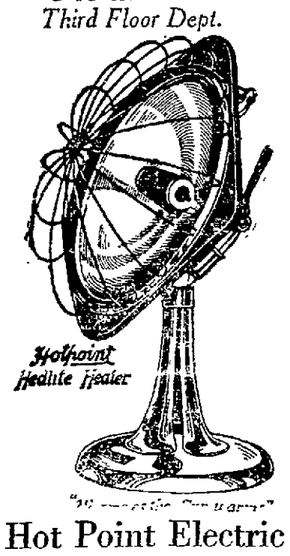

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Iceland Fox	$6.45	Taupe Fox Furs	$32.50
Narobia Scarfs	$11.50	White Fox Furs	$39.50
Manchurian Lynx	$12.95	Black Lynx Furs	$67.50

Stock Reducing Sale

Dresses $17.00

—Satin! Serges! Crepe de Chines! You'll marvel at their low pricing when you see how smart and stylish they are. Women's and misses' sizes.

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Suits $19.85

—This is an unusually attractive lot of Suits. Made of velour, serge, gabardine, poplin and a few broadcloths. Each at a greatly reduced price.

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—Pretty Dance Frocks—of satin, taffetas and tulles, as well as effective combinations—prepare for that holiday affair — and save while doing it!

The Celebrated

Melorose Perfumes and Toilet Articles

A new shipment of Melorose Perfumes just received, most attractively put up in beautiful frosted bottles with glass stoppers, in novel French designs. They come in handsome triangular satin lined boxes.

These lovely perfumes make beautiful as well as useful gifts.

Featuring standard as well as some new special Melorose odors, such as Lillian Walker and Geraldine.

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Call and let us show you these wonderful perfumes.

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NEW PRICES, RULES FIXED FOR SUGAR

New rulings were promulgated today by the state food administration, fixing sugar prices to be charged throughout the state and the quantity to be allowed the different classes of consumers. The regulations, which are adopted as a further conservation measure, follow:

QUANTITY.

Not to exceed 20 pounds per family at one purchase.

For the farm, not to exceed one sack, if such be the reasonable requirement.

For distant ranches and camps, the usual winter supply during inclement weather.

PRICES.

Seven and three-quarters cents per pound by the sack, plus freight from San Francisco. No cartage allowed. Eight cents per pound in quantities less than a sack.

These prices apply for cash transactions or settlement monthly.

One-quarter cent extra is allowed for time.

Form War Service League
Vaughan Gives Patriotic Talk

Representatives of seventy-five commercial, industrial, fraternal, civic improvement and patriotic organizations met at the Oakland Auditorium Theater last night and under the auspices of the Old Guard Association, the oldest military body in the state, organized the Oakland War Service League. The league is a non-military body and has for its purpose, according to the organizers, general service in support of the government.

Harmon Bell was chairman of the meeting. The principal address was made by Crawford Vaughan, former premier of South Australia, who addressed the assembled organization delegates on "World Democracy." Brief speeches were made by Judge T. W. Harris chairman of the county council of defense, Superior Judge James G. Quinn, Charles E. Snook, J. W. Stetson, Albert H. Elliott and D. H. Vander Naillen.

Former Premier Vaughan was introduced by the chairman as representative of the different organizations present. He paid high tribute in his address to the democratic spirit of American institutions and declared that the vision of revolutionary days had been the guiding motif in the development of South Australia.

GLAD TO FIGHT.

"We of South Australia owe a tremendous debt to the men of this country," he said. "We are doing our part toward the winning of this war for the preservation of the ideals of democracy. We are putting men and money into the war to win. We will not be found wanting and we are proud to fight shoulder to shoulder with America in the trenches for a common cause."

At the conclusion of the organization of the league a committee of seven was appointed to formulate a plan of systematic organization to aid the food administration in promoting thrift in the handling of domestic supplies and economic conservation of foodstuffs. The league will also work toward the elimination of inimical propagandists and foes of the nation.

The following resolution was drafted by the organization committee, setting forth the purposes and aims of the new league:

ADOPT RESOLUTION.

Whereas, The winning of the world war depends to a large degree upon the proper distribution of food, and

Whereas, The Food Administration of our government has requested that the people of the nation observe once each week a meatless and a wheatless day; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this organization delegated from the various fraternal, civic, religious, labor union and other bodies of the city of Oakland, demands that every restaurant, bakery and other business house that is affected by these orders shall at once conform with the instructions of the Food Administration, and we call upon all citizens to aid in the enforcement of these laws; and it is further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to every restaurant, bakery and other business house and to every newspaper in the city of Oakland.

Whereas, This is a government of the people and by the people, and we are now engaged in the greatest struggle the world has ever known for the perpetuation of the principles of democracy; and

Whereas, We believe that in such a crisis the people of our government should initiate such measures of economic reform, self-sacrifice and organized vigilance against its enemies as will be of the greatest advantage and assistance to our government in its policies; and

Whereas, We believe that every loyal citizen that cannot fight in the trenches will gladly and voluntarily bear his or her share of the burden at home, if properly and intelligently directed; and

DO NOT REALIZE.

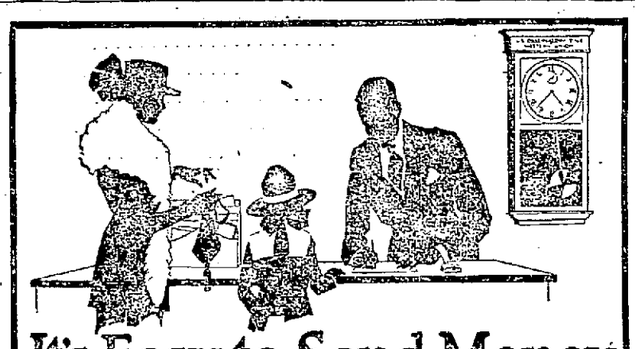
Whereas, By reason of the bountiful productivity of this great State and of our remoteness from the centers of war activity, we believe that our people do not fully realize the necessity for organized effort in economy and thrift in the use of food supplies and other commodities and also the exercise of constant individual vigilance in uncovering hidden foes that may be living in our midst; and,

Whereas, We believe that some such organized effort should be made in order to bring home to the people the urgent necessity for such work and activity; now, threfore, be it

Resolved, As follows: (1) That we do hereby voluntarily associate ourselves together for the purposes above set forth; (2) That the name of this organization shall be the "Citizen's War Service League." (3) That a committee of seven be appointed by the chairman for the purposes of formulating a plan of systematic organization to the end that the necessity for economic thrift in the use of food supplies and other commodities may be carried to the door of every loyal citizen in this city, and that every such citizen should constitute himself into a committee of one for the purpose of detecting and uncovering any hidden foe to our government, and for such other work as the government may require us to do in aid of its war policy.

'OH, EDA, I'M SO RELIEVED! NOW I CAN HAVE A NEW SUIT'

"You know I was just about to refuse the loveliest Christmas invitation because I haven't a decent suit. But I've just heard that CHERRY'S shop, where clothes are sold on credit, is making a special December offer to reliable customers who can give good references. They sell you a suit, coat—anything you want—you take it home and wear it and don't make the first payment until the first of the year. After that, easy payments to suit. Ever hear of anything so liberal?" Women's Store, 515 13th St.; Men's Store, 528 13th.—Advertisement.



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CRYSTAL WHITE, the billion bubble soap ....6 bars 25c

IVORY SOAP	4 bars 21c	CLOVER LEAF	4 bars 19c
FAIRY SOAP	2 bars 9c	OCTAGON	4 bars 21c
FELS-NAPTHA	4 bars 21c	BARBITT'S	bar 4½c
WHITE BEAR	7 bars 26c	RADIO	9 bars 25c

BARATARIA SHRIMPS 10¢
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CRISCO 38¢ 76¢ $1.52
Babbitt's Cleanser, 7 cans....25c
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Del Monte Catsup 17c
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DEL MONTE TOMATO SAUCE, 6½c.
This high-class tomato preparation is going up speedily. It is advisable to stock up now.
DOMINO MATCHES 1c
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HIGHLAND BURBANK POTATOES, $2.00 PER HUNDRED
Delivered Free to Your Home, Alameda, East Oakland, Berkeley, etc.
(These Potatoes will be sold outside the Main Entrance.)

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New standard size, regulated the United States Government, 16 ounces, regular the seller 6½c

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Bull Durham, 6 packages	22c	Lucky Strike	9c
Imperiales	7½c	Chesterfield	9c
Star, lb.	15c	Omar	11c
Fatimas	12½c	London Life	7½c

"ODDS AND ENDS"

Del Monte Tomato Sauce	6½c		9c
Del Monte String Beans	12c		23c
Del Monte Peaches	15c		8c
Del Monte Pimentos	5c		11c
Toilet Paper—Big Value—7 rolls	23c		35c
Williams' Shaving Soap	9c		14c
Shredded Wheat	11c		33c
Libby's Mustard	4c		
Cream of Wheat	26c		42c
Snider's Catsup	21c		12c
Shinola—Tan or Black	6c	Dongonuts, whole or half	
Campbell's Soups, all kinds	9c		
Log Cabin Syrup	18c		
Jello	7c		
ALPINE MILK—No limit, buy all you want	11c		

ONE MORE GERMAN IN GADAR CASE

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—A new and startling angle of the Hindu-Gadar revolutionary plot now on trial before District Judge W. T. Van Fleet developed this morning with the arrest of Alexander von Girewald, former German consul at Seattle, on a presidential warrant by Deputy Marshal Otis Bohn in a Ninth street hotel.

It was alleged in the Federal building that Von Girewald had been taken into custody as a result of a Department of Justice investigation into the suborning of Hindu witnesses by a mysterious Dr. Friedel in the new Whitcomb Hotel, and it is alleged that the former Seattle consul was the principal in the matter. He is being held as a dangerous alien and has been under surveillance since the beginning of the war when the government refused to grant him a safe conduct to Germany.

The Medusa head of Alfred Zimmerman, former foreign minister of state affairs at Berlin, raised itself in the Hindu trial today when a letter from Zimmerman to Wolf von Igel, former secretary of the German embassy at Washington, was introduced as an exhibit by the United States Attorney and identified by John J. Grgurezich, director of the South Slavic National Council, and for seventeen years an operative of the various secret service departments of the government, who arrested Von Igel in New York, where he posed as an advertising agent at 60 Broadway.

The letter ordered Von Igel to cease communicating with the Berlin Indian committee and to report all matters pertaining to the projected Hindu revolutionary plot to a committee in America, which were named. Among these, Dr. C. K. Chakrabarthy and Direndra Sarkar are in custody and defendants in the present trial. The third, Heramba Lal Gupta, who had been expelled from Japan for his activities in connection with the plot there and attempt to recruit volunteers to the revolution in British India, has not been arrested.

Tehl Singh preceded Grgurezich on the stand, where an exhaustive cross-examination was made by Attorney Theodore Roche for the remaining thirty-one defendants in a vain attempt to break down his testimony given on direct examination for the government. Attorney Roche was principally concerned with the geography of the plot and the wanderings of the witness which had carried him three-quarters of the way around the world. It was believed that the defense hoped to impeach Tehl on revolutionary committee's work in Shanghai and Siam, and it is probable will introduce evidence in rebuttal upon the testimony of various Hindu defendants who Tehl asserted were active in the shipping of arms to Bangkok.

GUTLEBEN SAVES DROWNING MAN

J. S. Gutleben, manager of the municipal boathouse, earned a Carnegie medal this morning by saving from drowning in Lake Merritt a man who cannot or will not give his name. Gutleben was assisted by Policemen William Tusher and Ed. O'Donnell, wagon officers, who responded to the call.

Gutleben saw the man floundering in the water well out from the Twelfth street bridge dam, and went to the rescue. When brought to the shore he was found to be not breathing and was supposed to be dead. Quick work in first aid restored respiration, and the man was taken to the receiving hospital, where, after he had recovered from the immediate effects of his submersion, he appeared to be insane or feigning insanity. He was garbed as a working man and is about 45 years old.

NOT HIT BY WAR

The war, judging by conditions since last April, will not materially affect the Oakland real estate market, in the opinion of Fred T. Wood, with offices in the Syndicate building. Wood reports that since last June he has sold and exchanged more than $300,000 worth of property. All that is required in Wood's opinion is the right property at the right price.

Wood said: "These transactions included high class residential properties in the lake district; small farms in the vicinity of Hayward, and local income-bearing properties. There was considerable demand for income property from out of town sources, principally from the farmer or other country people who have made considerable money in the past year.

"My holdings in the lake district, Lakewood Park, Crocker Tract and Crocker Terrace, which are among the finest residence sites in the east bay, have been in much demand by the home-seeker. I find with the close of the year a steady demand for high-class residential property and new homes at the right prices. People are looking for good values and the man who can give them what they want is bound to make sales."

MARRIAGE LICENSES

CAPOBIANCO-BERNADICON—Rocci Capobianco, 21, and Madelen Bernadicon, 18, both of Oakland.

GIVEN-GALBRAITH—Willard E. Given, 32, New York, and Nera S. Galbraith, 33, South Whitley, Ind.

JOSEPH-BARDELDUS—Joseph S. Joseph, 46, and Rose E. Bardeldus, 30, both of San Leandro.

LEAL-SELVAS—Manuel Leal, 29, and May Selvas, 20, both of Richmond.

MYNOTT-GILMORE—Theodore F. Mynott, 31, and Marie Gilmore, 24, both of Oakland.

SILVESTER-CASEY—William W. Silvester, 37, and Madelene H. Casey, 32, both of Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO LICENSES.

SCHMEHL-GWIN—Rudolf Schmehl, 52, Oakland, and Lois G. Gwin, 34, Berkeley.

SELENSKY-MOROWITZ—Harry Selensky, 21, Camp Kearney, and Clara Morowitz, 19, Oakland.

GALBRAITH-CHILTON—Nathan B. Galbraith, 30, Campbell, and Sarah P. Chilton, 48, San Jose.

BERGK-BERGK—August Bergk, 44, and Anna E. Bergk, 41, Oakland.

MARIN COUNTY LICENSES.

MULLIGAN-LEONARD—Thomas Mulligan, 22, Goat Island, and Jean McMillan Leonard, 35, Oakland.

BIRTHS

BRITOROVICH—December 6, to the wife of John Britorovich, a daughter.

BOGGERO—December 8, to the wife of John Boggero, a daughter.

BRADLEY—December 9, to the wife of Russell T. Bradley, a daughter.

DOLAN—December 8, to the wife of Charles A. Dolan, a son.

FARNO—December 5, to the wife of William H. Farno, a daughter.

GRINDLEY—December 6, to the wife of Hiram Grindley, a son.

HANSEN—December 6, to the wife of Louis Hansen, a son.

JOY—December 9, to the wife of Guy William Joy, a son.

MOORE—December 7, to the wife of Edward McC. Moore, a son.

MORIMOTO—December 9, to the wife of Seikichiro Morimoto, a son.

ONO—December 8, to the wife of Manji Ono, a son.

PEASLEE—December 6, to the wife of Hugh Hayes Peaslee, a son.

PALMER—December 6, to the wife of Alfred Palmer, a son.

SACK—December 8, to the wife of Herbert H. Sack, a daughter.

Aeroplane Inventor Not Spy
Released Following Questioning

ALAMEDA, Dec. 11. — R. E. Gould, aeroplane inventor, has satisfied the Federal intelligence department and Chief of Police E. O. Heinrich that he is not an alien spy but an American inventor. Gould's possession of aeroplane engine camera films, with interior factory views, led to an investigation by Chief of Police Heinrich and a later investigation by the intelligence department. Gould was released after clearly establishing that his work was not detrimental to the American government.

He lives at 1530 Benton street and has been an Alameda resident for three years. He is having his aeroplane engine installed in a new type of aircraft at the Frances Brothers' aeroplane plant on Eighty-third avenue, Oakland. Gould called at a Park street photography store for his developed films and found the police waiting for him. After a conference with Chief Heinrich it was decided that Gould should appear before the intelligence officers at the Presidio the next day. He went over in charge of an Alameda police officer.

Of his arrest, Gould says:

"I explained to Heinrich that I was an Alameda inventor and that I had recently sold my aeroplane engine to the company in Oakland. I said most of the work had been done in my shop at the rear of my home. Later, after I had been taken to police headquarters and questioned, the chief visited my shop. The chief was not satisfied and I suggested that we drive over to the aeroplane shop in Oakland.

"This he did not want to do but insisted I go to San Francisco. The next day, in company of an officer, I went to San Francisco and was promptly turned loose. I am not criticizing the chief for his zealousness in spy investigations, but it seems to me he ought to proceed slowly before subjecting citizens to the indignity of arrest."

Chief of Police Heinrich says:

"This country is at war and I believe it is my duty to investigate such cases as in my judgment need probing. The country is honeycombed with spies, conscientious objectors and enemy sympathizers. The Union Iron Works, the Dow plant and one or two other Alameda industries are engaged in government work. It behooves us to be careful.

"As head of the police department, and in connection with government intelligence work I am doing I would not be doing my duty if I did not investigate cases which appeared to warrant investigation. This man had pictures of an aeroplane engine and pictures of a factory interior. As long as I am engaged in the work I am now doing I shall continue to probe and investigate such cases as come under my observation and appear to warrant looking into."

MORSE REPORTS WHARF RECEIPTS

Commissioner F. F. Morse reported to the city council today that the receipts over Municipal wharf No. 1, which is occupied by the V. O. Lawrence Warehouse Company under preferential rights, produced a total of $1,038.49 in revenue during the months of August, September, October and November. The company is under agreement to pay the city at least $100 a month in dockage. Where the dockage receipts fell below that figure as they did each month the company made up the difference. The total revenue was for dockage, wharfage and tolls.

In August the dockage amounted to $50.25, wharfage, $56.58 and tolls, $28.90; in September the dockage was $10.70, wharfage $53.13; in October the dockage was $28.15, wharfage, $71.83. For November the dockage was $43.85, wharfage $171.80 and tolls $146.40.

Commissioner Morse stated that there was no expense attached to the operation of the wharf. Mayor Davie asked for the figures yesterday, intimating that he was not satisfied with the returns over the wharf under the agreement now in force with the Lawrence company.

OAKLAND MAN NEW PRESIDENT

An Oakland man probably will be the next president of the Northern California Hotel Men's Association, according to the plans outlined at last night's meeting of the nominating committee in preparation for their coming convention here. The fight in the committee has narrowed down to two candidates, Henry Barker and John B. Jordan, both of Oakland, and a few days will decide which has the nomination. The election will be held Saturday, and the new president will be in office when the convention meets here next spring.

Barker, who is manager of the Key Route Inn, has strong support, and is believed by local association members to be the "best bet." Louis Aber, member of the nominating committee from Oakland, refuses to state how the preliminary vote stands.

502 ENLIST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Five hundred and two men have enlisted in the army here in the past 36 hours. Two hundred others were turned away. One hundred men joined the naval reserve and 21 joined the navy and 21 the marine corps.

News of the Churches

By S. M. Burritt, Church Editor

Lydia Chapler of Trinity Episcopal parish, has worked to such good effect that it is able to report the purchase of new carpet for the chapel, as well as the installation of a new lighting system. Current expenses have been met, and a substantial sum has been paid toward the purchase of a Liberty bond for the chapel. The total expenditure during the year has been $254.53, and there is a balance in the treasury of $54.43.

PASTOR FOR WAR WORK.

The feature of the regular midweek conference of First Baptist tomorrow evening will be a program for personal evangelism and the advisory board of the church will probably make a preliminary report to the congregation concerning the release of the pastor, Rev. W. K. Towner, for Y. M. C. A. war work.

ROGER WILLIAMS.

Tonight from 6 to 9 o'clock will be held the regular social and business meeting of the Roger Williams League of First Baptist church. This is for men only. There will be a "De-Hooverized supper, 6:30 to 7:30. William H. Groat, the president, always alive to special stunts, has secured for this occasion as speaker of the evening, Fayre McNeil, chairman of the food conservation board of California. Billy Brown will be present with colored specialties.

M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL.

This evening at 8 o'clock will be held the regular monthly meeting of the Sunday school board of First M. E. church, with departmental conferences at 7:30 p. m. All the teachers in the Sunday school are urged to be present.

PRESBYTERIAN C. E.

Friday evening at 7:30 will be held the Christian Endeavor kirmess for the benefit of the C. E. service fund of First Presbyterian church to be used in the extensive work for enlisted men. An attractive program will be rendered, including a sketch "An Amateur Triumph." Candy, cakes, pies, punch, etc., will be sold in booths in charge of young ladies. A party of sailors from Goat Island will be on hand.

PASTOR'S NEW YEAR.

The Ladies' Aid, Guild and Missionary Society of First Congregational Church ask all women of the congregation to save Friday, January 3, for the pastor's New Year meeting. Program later.

AFRICA PLAYLET.

Africa will be shown at the chapel of First Congregational church Wednesday evening through a dramatic presentation by a group of the church young folks. The children and young people of the church school will give an African missionary play entitled, "Lighting the Dark Continent," at 7:45 p. m. Miss Elizabeth Benton is in charge of the affair. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

DRAMATIC RECITAL.

Next Friday evening there will be held at Plymouth Center, in the gym, a dramatic recital by Miss Truexa Mauser, assisted by Miss Edith Woodward, soprano, and Miss Madeline Mouser, pianist. This is given under the auspices of the California Institute of Musical Art, Alexander by complimentary tickets, which may be secured at the center.

BUSY CHOIR.

The choir of the First Methodist church is hard at work on an innovation of old seventeenth century French carols. These are to be sung in a sacred concert at the church Sunday evening, December 23.

M. E. LITTLE FOLK.

The little folk of the First Methodist church will hold their usual Christmas exercises at the Church Friday evening, March 21.

AT ST. STEPHEN'S.

Mrs. L. L. Stayton, president of Ladies' Aid of St. Stephen's M. E. church, is very much delighted with the results of the bazaar and supper held last week, the affair having netted about $120 for the church fund. Much credit is due Miss Ethel Story, Elmer Stephens and Leland Lerzen for their aid as entertainers.

TO VISIT RICHMOND.

Wednesday evening, December 12, Grand President I. W. Dwyer will make an official visit to Richmond. Among the grand officers accompanying him will be Grand First Vice-president M. A. Mennis, Grand Secretary George A. Stanley and Thomas C. O'Brien, district deputy.

The evening will be in charge of P. F. Galligan, council deputy of Burke council. A number of members from Oakland and Alameda are planning to attend.

BARACA PHILATHEA.

Last Thursday evening was held a most enthusiastic business meeting and joint social of First Baptist Baracas and Philatheas. The Baracas raised a generous fund by which to provide Christmas dinner for one family. The amount raised was more than needed and the balance will be used to provide Christmas cheer for the soldiers at the Presidio hospital. A most enjoyable social hour was held, there being also several soldiers present. The Philatheas furnished lunch in baskets which were auctioned to the Baracas.

MESSIANIC LUNCH.

A luncheon was given last Tuesday by the members of the Universal Messianic church in honor of A. K. Mozumdar, founder of the society.

Mr. Mozumdar has lately returned from Spokane, Wash., where his message was first given and where he has an earnest following.

On the afternoon of the same day the ladies held their weekly meeting for the discussion of subjects pertaining to truth. An interesting paper was read by Mrs. F. Freeman.

Friends of truth are cordially invited to attend these meetings, which are held each Tuesday at 3 p. m. at 562 Fifteenth street.

The lecture for the Unity club of First Unitarian church, Wednesday evening of this week will be on Shakespeare's Julius Ceasar, by the Rev. James B. Orr. Introductory remarks will be made by Robert Robertson. "Bread and Milk," and vocal and instrumental selections will be rendered. The affair will be held at Starr King hall, Fourteenth and Castro. Public is invited.

TO CELEBRATE CAPTURE.

Pioneer Memorial M. E. church, South, is the first of Oakland churches to recognize the significance of the capture of Jerusalem by the British, and the first to celebrate the event of its capture by the allies after 401 years in the hands of the Turks. Tonight there will be a great jubilee celebration of the event at this church.

Evangelist W. H. Stewart will deliver a special address on "The Rises and Falls of Jerusalem," and the choir will offer special music. All the other churches are urged to participate to make the event most worthy the cause.

A conference of all M. E. churches, South, of the western states, taking in from El Paso, Texas, to Seattle, Washington, will be held at Pioneer Memorial church this week. There are six conferences represented by each three representatives, one layman, one pastor and one presiding elder. Bishop W. R. Lambert, who has charge of all conferences of the western states, will preside.

The business sessions will be held at Pioneer, Wednesday and Thursday, to will preach Wednesday night.

This in no way will interfere with the revival at present being held of which Rev. Govette, pastor, gives a very interesting and enthusastic report. The interest in the revival is so great that it will be extended another week.

DEATHS

BRODER—In Hayward, Cal., December 9, 1917, Jacob Broder, beloved husband of Mrs. Mary Broder, loving father of Joseph, Walter and Raymond Broder, Mrs. J. W. Quinn, Mrs W. J. Hopkins, Mrs. T. A. Madan, Mrs. George Meininger and the late Jack Broder, a native of Switzerland, aged 84 years, 9 months and 17 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Wednesday, December 12, at 1 o'clock p. m., from his late residence, at Folsom, Sacramento County, Cal.

CASE—In this city, December 10, 1917, at her late residence, 2214 Chapel street, Clara Monroe Case, beloved wife of Rev. W. W. Case, D. D., and mother of James L. Case of Sebastopol, a native of New York. (Sacramento papers please copy.)

Friends are invited to attend the funeral services Thursday, December 13, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m., at Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, corner Allston way and Ellsworth street. Interment private.

LAKE—In this city, December 11, 1917, Edward Henry, beloved husband of Mary C. Lake and father of the late Fred E. Lake, a native of St. John, N. B., aged 84 years, 9 months and 27 days.

Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Thursday, at 2 o'clock p. m., at his late home, 673 23rd street. Cremation private.

SELLANDER—In this city, December 9, 1917, Margaretha, beloved wife of Frederick Sellander, and loving mother of Augusta, May, Amelia, Charles, Henry and William Sellander, aged 74 years.

Friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Wednesday, December 12, 1917, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the family residence, 915 East 20th street, Oakland. Interment private.

WALLACE—Killed in Tacoma, Wash., Roy T. Wallace, beloved son of Edward M. Wallace, loving brother of William, Albert, Jess, Clinton, Mrs. H. Langland, Mrs. H. Hughes and Mrs. W. Burkhart, a native of Missouri aged 27 years, 11 months and 18 days.

SAN FRANCISCO DEATHS.

Baner, Beninga—63
Bell, John W.
Berwin, Martin—47
Brancatello, Guiseppe—55
Boyle, Edward P.—42
Burr, Clarence C.—70
Burkett, Edward
Donoghue, Hanora—70
Jenne, John A.—9
Dremond, Margaret E.—63
Fagleson, Frank A.
Farley, Marjorie G.—22
Graney, Hunnet P.
Galvin, Harry E.
Haley, Ellen
Hagne, Jonathan—71
Koster, Lena—55
Lehmann, Christian H.—76
Lyons, Patrick—82
Laing, Flora E.—11
Lauader, Elvin—17
Matthes, Frederick L.—56
Mueller, Adolf G. Arthur—22
Mathiessen, Evald M.—3
Moore, Patrick
Monahan, Thomas
Mitchell, Elizabeth P.
O'Donnell, John—68
O'Connor, Ella
Perrino, Vincent
Phillips, Mae E.
Quinn, Ellen—85
Rebstock, Anna M.—66
Simpson, Henry
Schatz, Marcia G.—56
Stone, Charles W.—78
Williamson, Walter W.

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YOUNG BOY IS ON TRIAL IN SAN DIEGO

Charged with complicity in the murder of Israel Botwin, a chauffeur of Los Angeles, who was killed near Oceanside, in Southern California, early in October, Leslie W. Northon, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Northon of 385 Sixty-first street, who was with Otis D. Slane on the fatal trip, was placed on trial today before Superior Judge Lewis in San Diego. A bitter fight was waged to have the lad's case tried in the juvenile court on account of his age, but Judge Lewis ruled otherwise. Slane was recently convicted for the slaying and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Young Northon ran away from his Oakland home last September with the intention of enlisting in the navy. He had enlisted once before, but his release had been secured by his parents, who appealed directly to Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels with the proof that the boy was under the legal age.

He was secured a position in a local dentist's office, but his desire to enlist was still strong and he disappeared one day without leaving any word. The next thing that his father and mother heard about him was the news that he had been arrested for his connection with the murder of Botwin.

At the time of his arrest Northon was alleged to have made a confession to the district attorney of San Diego county, in which he said that Slane had suggested getting possession of an automobile which they could either sell or operate as a jitney, and promised to take charge of the "job" himself. The actual murder was committed by Slane, he said, when Botwin got out of the car to repair a tire.

After the killing the youths buried the body in the sand near Oceanside. Slane was found with the automobile in El Centro, where he was trying to dispose of it. Northon was arrested on a dairy farm near Holtville on information supplied by Slane, who attempted to fix the responsibility for the crime upon his companion.

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AGAINST WAR, MINISTER TO LOSE PLACE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—Prospective removal from office of the Rev. E. P. Ryland, superintendent of the Los Angeles district of the M. E. Church, because of alleged "pacifist ideas" which caused him to refuse support to the church's patriotic program, was announced by Bishop Adna W. Leonard at a church meeting, it became known today.

Bishop Leonard announced it as a "change," effective next Monday, when a successor would be named.

Later Bishop Leonard said Dr. Ryland's attitude had caused him concern for some time and ended in a decision to "remove" him when the superintendent said he would be unable to support the bishop in a proposed series of patriotic addresses at large centers.

Dr. Ryland said, "Inasmuch as the bishop and I do not agree on the present attitude of the United States in the great war, it is perfectly proper that I be relieved of my office."

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Your kidneys are the filters of the body. If they become inactive and fail to eliminate the waste matter, they are apt to throw the whole mechanism of the body out of order, thus toxic poisons can accumulate in the system and be as deadly as snake venom.

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NEWS - PUNCH IN THE TRIBUNE

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The President's message to Congress demanding war on Austria-Hungary, printed in The TRIBUNE December 4; in the morning papers December 5.

The recommendations of the Interstate Commerce Commission favoring government ownership of the railroads, TRIBUNE, December 5; morning papers December 6.

The Halifax disaster, TRIBUNE, December 6; morning papers, December 7.

Alameda wins the Pacific naval base, United States declares war on Austria-Hungary, Jacob Jones torpedoed, all printed in full in TRIBUNE December 7; in morning papers December 8.

Jerusalem captured by British, in TRIBUNE last night; in morning papers today.

In addition to this, all local news of importance with few exceptions, happens during the day, and is given on the same day in The TRIBUNE.

The Oakland TRIBUNE, with exclusive Associated Press service, the United Press and the International News service, is a paper with the news-punch.

CATHOLIC CAMP FUND NEAR QUOTA

With today and tomorrow as the last days for the Catholic war work camp fund drive in the east bay cities the workers are making a final effort to bring the amount over the goal of $30,000. In all sections of the downtown district the men and women canvassers will in these two days approach every business and professional man for a subscription to the patriotic fund.

"We'll go over the top," said Frank Cerini, treasurer of the drive.

The total amount of the campaign stood at $28,000 last night. Several hundred dollars in pledges are in the hands of the workers and some of the committee heads have not as yet turned in their reports.

"When all the money that has been collected thus far is turned into the headquarters," said William Kieferdorf, secretary of the Knights of Columbus, "we will have more than the $30,000. There are two or three towns in the county from which we have not heard a word. I am sure the committees in these places have been actively at work for the past few days."

FOR NATIONAL FUND.

The Alameda county fund of $30,000 will be turned into the national fund of $5,000,000, which is being raised by the Knights of Columbus in the United States for the benefit of the men in the service.

The Catholic war drive is a patriotic campaign, inaugurated in response to a call from President Wilson. The Knights of Columbus are working hand in hand with the Young Men's Christian Association in an effort to solve the recreational problem of the soldiers and sailors. The entire $5,000,000 raised by the present campaign will be used to provide home comforts, recreational, educational, physical and mental diversions for the boys both in the training camps of this country and the battlefields of Europe.

Alameda workers reported an increase yesterday of nearly $200. Jack Mulvaney, Mrs. J. J. Kearney and a corps of workers are engaged in canvassing the entire city.

Hayward began the active campaigning for funds today. An army of men and women workers began to canvass the city and surrounding country for subscriptions and pledges.

A chicken dinner and rally last night in Native Sons' Hall at Hayward opened the campaign. Adjutant General J. J. Borree was the principal speaker at the affair. Joseph A. Kennedy, drive manager from Oakland, and Dr. John F. Slavich, Judge Frank Mitchell, William J. Hayes, Supervisor John F. Mullins and Philip M. Carey were present and spoke. They then went to Centerville and addressed a meeting presided over by John J. Mattos Jr.

LATEST CONTRIBUTORS.

Among the latest contributors of larger amounts are the following: Pacific Gas and Electric Company, $160; Rev. P. J. Keane, $50; Rev. M. J. Barry, $20; N. Gallagher & Sons, $20; Providence Auxiliary, $10; Ladies' Auxiliary, Ancient Order of Hibernians, $50; Margaret Slavich, $5; M. D. Hegerty, $25; Mrs. Cornelia Cain, $5; Miss Alicia Kelley, $5; Dr. J. L. Prosser, $5; T. J. O'Leary, $5; Miss Hanna White, $5; E. P. Crinnion, $5; Martin Katich, $10; Dr. G. G. Reinle, $10; Mrs. T. W. Moran, $10; Miss McGuiness, $10; Mrs. Walter Behr, $10; Mrs. Marie Daly, $10; Miss A. Rousseau, $10; T. W. Moran, $10; Mrs. M. J. Brophy, $20; Dr. W. H. Irwin, $12.50; Mrs. C. O'Connell, $15; Rev. P. J. Bresnan, $5; Rev. A. J. Carroll, $5; Third Order of St. Francis, $10; Christian Mothers' Altar Society, $10; A. Healey, $10; Women's Benefit Association of Macabees, $10; Charles P. Bannon, $25; Rev. Father Horan, $10; Miss Catherine Mathews $20; Mrs. James Kerwin, $5; Rev. Father E. J. Nolan, $5; Mrs. George Hunter, $5; Mrs. Manseau, $12; James J. Cummings, $10; Mrs. Fitton, $5; Dr. E. V. Tiffany, $5; F. Kelley, $5; Mrs. M. J. O'Connell, $5; Mrs. Bray, $5; Mrs. J. T. Hinch, $5; Howard Mallen, $5; Mrs. Emily Frey, $10; Mrs. Brady, $10; Rev. Owen Lacey, $10; Daniel F. O'Connell, $20; Henry J. Rogers, $25; Frank A. Leach Sr., $25; Mrs. Josephine Diekman, $10; M. J. Kelly, $15.

GERMANY SHORT ON FOOD SUPPLY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11. — Captain Takichi Wakazawa of the Japanese army, who was taken prisoner by the Germans on the Russian front and later released, said here recently that Germany is starving but Austria is fairly well fed. The Austrian soldiers are praying for peace, he stated.

Captain Wakazawa said that despite the enemy status of his country he was merely treated as an observer in Germany, and was told by German Red Cross women that he could have anything he wanted in the way of food.

His request for meat and coffee, however, brought only an apple, about 150 grams of bread and a cup of the desired beverage. "It was the best they could get," he stated.

A lot of name changing, for which Czar is not responsible, is now going on in this city. Various persons having cognomens with an enemy alien suggestion, are asking the courts if they might switch to "Lee," "Smith" and various other names having a distinctly American flavor.

Before the war the courts here were asked to change but two or so names a year. Now they are being asked to change that many a day.

McCORMICK WILL SING ACROSS U. S. FOR RED CROSS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A gift of $100,000 to the Red Cross from John McCormick, the tenor, was announced today. Paying his own expenses, Mr. McCormick will make a patriotic concert tour from the Atlantic to the Pacific opening in Washington December 18 with a concert which the President and Mrs. Wilson have announced they will attend.

"I will keep on singing until I have earned $100,000 which the American Red Cross may use as it sees fit," said Mr. McCormick in making his offer.

KILLED IN MILL.

COCALT, Ont., Dec. 11.—John Ross, general superintendent of the Abitibi Power and Paper Company's mill, was caught in the machinery and instantly killed on Saturday.

SAVE TIDELANDS FOR WHOLE STATE

A resolution calling upon the Governor and Attorney General to take action to prevent the misuse of waterfront lands by municipalities to which harbor tidelands have been granted in trust by the State, was presented by the Oakland delegation at the meeting of the California State Real Estate Federation. The resolution was referred to the board of directors with the understanding that unless opposition is voiced by San Francisco, Los Angeles or San Diego, the resolution will be presented to the Governor with a request that he take whatever steps he sees fit.

The resolution recites that these lands were granted by the State to the municipalities for development in the interest of commerce and navigation, and that they must be handled as a trust for the people of the entire state. It states that certain cities have shown a disposition to regard the property as their own, and to use it for local industrial purposes, rather than as property belonging equally to interior districts which could and would be served by proper commercial harbor development.

The Oakland delegation consisted of P. W. Morehouse, Fred E. Reed and R. Porter Giles, secretary of the Oakland Real Estate Board. Morehouse was elected a vice-president and director in the State federation, and Reed secretary.

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Do you know that there is a simple, harmless effective remedy for overfatness that may be used safely and secretly by any man or woman who is losing the slimness of youth?

There is; and it is none other than the tablet form of the now famous Marmola Prescription, known as Marmola Prescription Tablets. You can well expect a reduction of from two to four pounds a week without dieting or exercising. Marmola Prescription Tablets are sold by all druggists at 75c for a large case, or if you prefer you can order direct from the Marmola Co., 864 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich.—Advertisement.

WILL ELECT AND HOLD LUNCHEON

The annual election of directors of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce will take place tomorrow at which time nine directors will be selected for terms ranging from one year to three years.

Many nominees are mentioned in connection with the three year term, for which seven new directors are to be selected. Among them are Joseph N. Burroughs, L. Harrison Clay, L. H. Cromwell, George A. Cummings, Judge Jesse J. Dunn, C. A. Fleweger, O. H. Fischer, E. M. Henningsen, R. H. Marchant, Dr. J. Loran Pease, George E. Sheldon, C. E. Thatcher, James Traverse and E. A. Vandeventer.

For the one year terms, of which there are two, B. H. Pendleton, appointed to fill out the unexpired term of E. L. Dom, who resigned earlier in the year, is selected for re-election, while H. K. Jackson, who has been acting for Harry Brown, also resigned, will appear for re-election for the final year of the term. The polls will be open all day.

A feature of the election will be the election luncheon which is to take place at noon on that day in the Hotel Oakland, at which Thomas Brooks Fletcher, editor, orator and former president of the Chamber of Commerce of Marion, O., will be the principal speaker. Fletcher was instrumental in increasing the population of his city by 10,000 industrial workers during his term in office. He will speak upon industrial subjects.

KILLED IN WRECK

DENVER, Dec. 11.—E. N. Lewis, the engineer, was killed and four men were severely scalded when a snowslide derailed a snowplow and engine on the Denver & Salt Lake railroad on Mount Corona.

J. I. Snyder, engineer.
C. C. Gillett, fireman.
Frank Lewis, fireman.
Clyde Wilson, rotary pilot.

The snowslide occurred when the train was traveling up the mountain to clear a portion of the track blocked by snow. A relief train immediately was despatched from Denver. All are Denver men.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

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The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

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PLOT IS CHARGED

DETROIT, Dec. 11.—William M. Jarosch, one of twelve persons originally indicted with Albert C. Kaltschmidt on a dynamiting conspiracy charge, was placed on the stand as a government witness at the trial of Kaltschmidt and five others here.

He testified that Kaltschmidt engaged him to go to Canada to blow up factories and other property.

STRIKE TO GROW

ST. PAUL, Dec. 11.—Hope for Federal intervention in the controversy between the striking union street car men of the Twin Cities and the traction company has about vanished, according to statements by labor leaders, who are working on plans to open a continuous convention in Minneapolis Wednesday. Such a convention, labor leaders say, would mean a general sympathetic strike.

Creditors Close out the Economy Shoe Store

Stock sold by the Board of Trade to Walker's Shoe Store at 65¢ on the Dollar!

Statement by the Management

To the People of Oakland and Vicinity: The reputation of the Economy Shoe Store is too well known to go into detail, and when financial disaster overtakes a business concern of such enviable stability it is hard to conceive of a situation more deplorable. Of the causes thereof we have no word to say.

In these days of keen competition business knows no sentiment. Creditors want their money. Relentless as it seems, their demands must be satisfied. The last and only arbiters of all such difficulties, the Board of Trade, accepted our bid over that of all competitors, of 65c on the dollar for this splendid stock of Shoes. Circumstances have compelled us to remove this stock from its former location to our store at 1110 Washington street, an immediate disposition is necessary. The men engineering this task are accustomed to big things, their instructions are to sell this stock in the shortest time possible. We predict this will be the greatest Shoe Sale ever held in Oakland.

We also want to assure you no effort has been spared for your convenience—plenty of experienced salespeople to wait on you and conveniently arranged merchandise will make this the most pleasant and profitable Shoe Sale you ever attended.

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WALKER'S SHOE STORE.

$15,000 worth of high-class footwear bought for 65c on the Dollar

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Every man, Woman and Child in Oakland has traded with or knows of the ECONOMY SHOE STORE, and is aware of the splendid quality and low prices on the shoes they carried in stock.

The misfortunes of anyone are indeed lamentable—the saying, "it is an ill-wind that blows no one good," is applicable in this case.

Every pair of the Economy Shoe Store Shoes are on sale at less than they can be manufactured for today!

BUY SHOES NOW FOR FUTURE——Take Advantage——It Is Like Finding Money

MEN'S SHOES

Men, you can count the times on your finger tips that you ever got in on a chance like this. Every pair of Men's Shoes owned by the Economy Shoe Store are going to be sold in many instances at less than cost of the leather.

Standard, well-known nationally advertised makes, in every last and leather. You can't save money any faster than buying several pairs.

WOMEN'S SHOES

If space would permit to detail the styles and kinds of Shoes in this great offering, we would have every woman in Oakland trying to get in our store. We can only tell you in this adv. that the greatest opportunity to save on stylish, high-class, Winter Shoes you ever had is here. Act now—don't wait.

CHILDREN'S SHOES

We want every parent with children to know the Economy Shoe Store specialized on Children's, Boys' and Girls' Shoes—and when you have the chance to buy the best kinds of Children's Shoes at the prices we have marked them, it would be an insult to your judgment to think you would stay away.

Remember—every pair of Children's Shoes from the Economy Stock on sale. BRING THE FAMILY.

Any one would buy a ten-dollar gold piece for $5.00 if he were sure of its genuineness. That's how we felt about buying this stock—considering the leather and shoe manufacturing situation as exists today—and comparing costs dollar for dollar—would have been a bargain.

Sixty-five cents on the dollar seems almost unbelievable, and to think, right now—Christmas so near, and here comes this big stock of Shoes at practically your own price.

If the saving of one to—yes, three and four dollars on a pair of Shoes is of any significance, you and your family will be here. Come prepared to carry away the Biggest Shoe Bargain ever sold.

BUSINESS IS BUSINESS AND CASH IS MIGHTY

The Board of Trade accepts no notes or promises—actual cold hard cash, was the necessary factor in securing this stock of Shoes. Naturally we have incited some envy, we hope not malice, however, to forestall any efforts, should there be any made, to detract your intention of attending this sale. Fix this fact firmly in your mind: *The Economy Shoe Store Stock is being sold at Walker's Shoe Store, 1110 Washington street.*

Owing to the tremendous price reductions and the limited time allotted by the management for the disposal of this gigantic Shoe Stock, it is absolutely necessary to adopt these rules:

RULES GOVERNING THIS SALE

No shoes charged—all sales cash. No phone or mail orders. No shoes sent C. O. D. Only one free delivery daily. No exchanges after alterations. Positively no deviation from the above. We assume all responsibility as to fitting, etc.

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PROBLEMS OF THE RAILROADS.

It would be, in all probability, a serious blunder and misfortune if the federal government should permit the interjection of all special pleadings, propaganda, political and economic theories into the consideration of the present railway situation. The current problems of the railroads are specific, actual, and are vitally related to successful prosecution of the war, as well as to the necessary interchange of products required in our normal domestic life. They must be solved with specific and substantial instruments designed to give certain relief quickly.

The doctrine of government ownership of railroads does not necessarily demand consideration; it is questionable whether it is even appropriate at this time to consider this feature of economic, industrial, financial and transportation curatives.

The leading railroads of the country immediately after the declaration of war appointed a committee of twenty-five executives, which in turn created a committee of five to sit in Washington and co-operate with the government in moving war material. Since this voluntary plan of co-operation was put into effect great economies have been introduced and every spokesman for the government competent to speak has unstinted praise for the performances of the roads.

But everyone must agree that the necessity for repairs, extensions, betterments and increase of facilities cannot be long delayed. Therefore, a financial problem for the roads is at hand. They claim they cannot see any practical method of financing their extensions. The bond and securities market has been vastly affected by the heavy issues of United States government bonds, and such a perfect and sound system as the Pennsylvania railroad is afraid to venture into the money market under existing conditions with a new mortgage. Yet the roads are willing to stand on their own bottom and do not want any government loans.

This money situation is not confined to the railroads alone. Statistics up to the first of December show that all lines of business, except those necessarily related to the war, are delaying new capitalization. The domestic new capital issues from January 1 to December 1 of railroads and industrial corporations was $745,000,000 less than for the same period in 1916. Corporate financing in November totaled only $90,000,000, and even this involved heavy selling of the federal securities.

The Interstate Commission, in its annual report to Congress last Friday, detailed at length the increase in the capacity of the railroads with present equipment, but it made no recommendation for government ownership or operation. It concluded its comments on the traffic situation with the following:

"Owing to the demand upon car and locomotive building plants for equipment for use abroad, but by our own forces and by our allies, and to the unprecedented difficulty of securing labor and material, it is impossible at the present time for these plants to do much more than replace the equipment worn out in the service of the United States. It is apparent that the solution of the car service problem until such time as additional equipment and facilities can be provided lies in securing the maximum use of those already existing."

The immediate problems of the railroad situation therefore may be stated as follows:

First, need of new equipment and betterments on all roads and material, of replacement of equipment worn out in non-war as well as war service. With this problem is related the question of manufacturing facilities, labor, material and finance.

Second, need of securing the maximum use of those facilities already existing. To help in attaining this end the railroads have suggested that the laws prohibiting co-operative combinations of lines be suspended during the war emergency.

The government can co-operate with and aid the railroads by favoring the distribution of manufacturing facilities so that new equipment and trackage material may be available; it may assist in financing extensions and betterments if these are proved to be actually necessary, and it may permit the fullest possible co-operation of all the railroads in order to reach the maximum of national service.

But none of these suggestions involve government ownership or government operation. It is extremely doubtful if any system can improve upon the operation of the road by the railroad organizations themselves, who are striving to give their best efforts, under government control. At least, the last question should be determined without prejudice in favor of the ownership and operation theories. Any radical change would embarrass existing facilities without guaranteeing any improvement—a result which the enemies of the United States would be pleased to anticipate.

JUSTICE HENSHAW.

The resignation of Justice Frederick W. Henshaw from the Supreme Court of California will be generally regretted, but in no community or in any circle of citizens more than by the people of Alameda county. The popular mind has always identified his judicial career with this county.

Shortly after his admission to the bar in 1880 he was elected justice of the peace of Oakland township. In 1894 he was elected superior judge of Alameda county and four years later was elected justice of the State Supreme Court. He has been continuously on the supreme bench ever since, and when he retires on January 1 will have completed twenty-three years of distinguished service.

In legal circles, where Justice Henshaw's ability is thoroughly appreciated, his resignation is considered an almost irreparable loss. No member of the Supreme Court, from the time of its organization, has possessed a more brilliant and better equipped legal mind than Justice Henshaw. In addition to his high intellectual powers, to his profound knowledge of the law, and to his familiarity with its principles, he possesses a choice of diction and clearness of statement that make his opinions models of judicial writings. He is a master of all three—of law, the English language and the art of composition.

The people can hope for no better fortune in connection with the courts of the State than that the coming vacancy on the supreme bench will be filled by a jurist comparable in all respects to Justice Henshaw.

AN UNIQUE BEQUEST.

The late Henry C. Freeman Jr. of Philadelphia has precipitated another question for the war-burdened government and people to answer. He left a will disposing of a $2,000,000 estate in which there is a provision that the trustees of the estate shall set aside a sum sufficient to yield $12,000 a year, which shall be payable to "the lady termed the 'first lady of the land.'" If the President shall not be married the money is to go to whoever may be mistress of the White House.

It may be that some Presidents have been stingy with their wives, though, thanks to the good angel of domestic discretion, the fact has never become a national scandal. And probably some wives of Presidents would appreciate $1000 a month "pin money." But is it befitting the "first lady of the land" that she should have to depend upon a private endowment for assistance? Mr. Freeman may have been a perfectly well-meaning man, but his perception of the proprieties was obviously somewhat blunted; at least he did not hesitate to make a proffer as a dead man that he could hardly have had the courage to make while alive.

There has been much talk, pro and con, about the adequacy of the presidential salary. For a while there were a lot of frank comparisons of it with the salaries of railway executives and "captains of industry," as well as with the remuneration of European monarchs. Of course, the salary of the President of the United States suffered by such comparisons so far as size was concerned. And it was increased from $50,000 to $75,000 a year. In addition to this the residence of the Chief Executive is maintained and all the expenses of the presidential household in the White House are paid by the government.

It is not a violent outrage upon logic to presume that for some time in the future the "enforced economy" of the President of the United States will be an example for other governmental heads; there are ominous whispers that the pomp of European monarchs may in time be regulated by the voluntary liberality of democratic peoples and not by the helplessness of peoples to resist extravagance. In such event $75,000 a year and allowances may be sufficient to enable a President's wife to struggle along without private assistance.

But these observations still leave no provision for disposing of Mr. Freeman's endowment of $12,000 a year. Perhaps some mistress of the White House will set a precedent by dividing it among Washington charities, giving it to the Red Cross in war time, or devoting it to some other unselfish purpose.

Jerusalem has been captured by the Allies! The strategic advantage of the event may not be important, but the moral and sentimental significance is very great. The Christian world will rejoice that the Holy City has been recovered from the Turk and from his desecrating ally, the Hun. And the Moslem will himself find cause to revert to a day in 1898, when the German kaiser, posing in the uniform of a Knight of St. John, strutted among the holy places of Christianity and pledged his protection to the Moslem empire. Perhaps the Turk will now see the alliance with Germany in the true light; the power of the kaiser was the fleeting influence of the bluster. Pan-Germanists will observe another theatrical performance in the program of oppression and *weltpolitik* as a total wreck; the drilling and discipline of Von der Goltz, the genius of their military leaders and the diplomacy of the Bernstorffs, all for naught.

NOTES AND COMMENT

An idea comes from Minnesota. The Winona Association of Commerce recommends that the food problem be solved eating muskrats. The recommendation has been forwarded to the National Food Administration. This idea is absolutely original.

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"Hogs causing a bitter row in the city hall." It is a heading, and must be regarded as a case of too ultra a way of putting it, even if there was a disagreement.

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Millionaire Jackling has secured a job with Uncle Sam. His pay will be one dollar a year, with a prospect of a raise when times get better. This war is furnishing work for a large number of people.

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More Hun atrocities. Story of the crucifixion of prisoners. No reason to disbelieve it, taking into account the reputation the Huns have earned. The world's determination that such a people shall not dominate is grimmer and more fixed in consequence.

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Congressman Raker has been selected by his party to head the suffragist committee. But it is not to be assumed that he qualified for this position through legislative effort in behalf of the only active volcano in the United States.

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The third bond issue impends. Please have change ready so as not to impede the rush.

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They are going about it in a different way at Seattle. The judiciary committee of the City Council has instructed the city attorney to prepare articles of impeachment against the mayor.

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Mention has been made of unusual claims under the industrial accident provision. The latest is for a bite of a rattlesnake. A man encountered a reptile while piling wood in Ventura county, and his sister wants $35 a month and her board in consequence. It is not to be said that such a claim is without merit, but it may safely be concluded that it is unusual.

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Officials of the El Dorado high school are up against a dilemma. The senior students "struck" because the junior students were granted permission to wear a class pin. The junior students had threatened to strike if they were not granted such permission. What has become of the old-fashioned parent who was fully equal to an emergency of this sort without official assistance?

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A "soul kiss" figured in a San Francisco divorce case. It reads as though it might be related to the "brain storm," which figured in a murder case once. Both have an unhealthy sound.

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The more recent successes and excesses of Villa indicate that somebody has been successful in smuggling arms across the border. It is unfortunate that there are those who would thus promote brigandage for what there is in it for them.

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Beginning next Monday we will be able to purchase a 10-cent loaf. And more than that, it will be of the same composition, whether we purchase it at one place or another. But there is to be no reduction in price, only different sizes. The advantage of this arrangement will be that there will be no doubt as to what we are getting.

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An advertisement appears in which a San Francisco hotel differentiates on the roof is one of the attractions. Itself as the only one where dancing Dancing on the roof in the San Francisco climate is not always a pure joy.

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We take account of the very sober editorial admonition that "mining should not stop." It would be disastrous, indeed, to stop mining at this juncture. Who is this who proposes to stop it?

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One of the strange diversions of trade resulting from the war is that with regard to cheese. The sources of supply and the markets have been switched in a most unusual way. Prices have gone up and some of the kinds are difficult to obtain. There is considerable resignation among Americans that the Limburg variety is in this category.

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News is issued that former Czar Nicholas has been set at liberty. In the plans for the creation of an autonomous government for Siberia it may have been concluded that he will make a good centerpiece.

SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS

Colusa rice in carload lots is being shipped to Texas. One car of about 1125 sacks has already gone, and two more are being loaded today. The rice is of the California Rice Lands and Products Company, and is being despatched to Texas with all haste. Other large shipments are to be made.—Colusa Sun.

Twenty-two years ago as a graduate in theology Rev. Dr. H. E. Milnes delivered his maiden sermon at the Walnut Creek M. E. Church, of which he is now the pastor. This fact was fittingly recounted by him Sunday when he preached at the Methodist Church on the occasion of his first official visitation as superintendent of the Oakland district of his creed.—Walnut Creek Courier.

Between Concord and Antioch, and between Antioch and Brentwood, there are few if any road signs to direct the autoist. This is a condition which should be remedied at once. With the Altamont Pass road in bad condition, the way through Concord is a feasible route for auto travel from the interior of the state.—Concord Transcript.

Lieutenant Ide Wheeler has been [illegible], and announces that after the war civilization will turn to the study and contemplation of "the more fundamental verities." But it is difficult to recall anything very tangible that is being done by the learned gentleman to speed the coming of that day.—Santa Rosa Republican.

CRUMPLING—Why the Kaiser Cries "Peace!"

THE FORUM

The Editor of The Tribune disclaims responsibility for opinions and statements expressed in this column. Brief contributions on current topics of general interest are welcome. They will not as a rule be printed unless accompanied by the name of the writer, which, if desired, will be withheld from publication.

THE DREDGER.

To the Editor of The Tribune:

In the matter of the Progress and Prosperity Committee's resolution as published in your edition of even date permit me to answer as follows:

The committee says in regard to the mismanagement on the dredger that "it appears that it is due to the incompetency and gross negligence of the crew" that the dredger is in its present unfortunate condition, and by carefully worded context makes it appear that this is the conclusion of the Civil Service Board.

Permit me to say that the above is incorrect, both as to facts stated and as to the conclusions of the Civil Service Board.

The board is at present engaged in conducting an investigation into the matter of the dredger and if the Progress and Prosperity Committee will kindly wait for the report on the matter they will find that the dredger crew is absolutely not to blame for these conditions.

I myself have asked for this action and as a member of the crew I feel very deeply the implied charges against the rank and file upon the dredger. I hope to show by evidence and witnesses that the dredger has operated at a great disadvantage, due solely to the incompetence of the captain.

While I feel that it would be out of place for me to at this time place before the public matter pertaining to this case, I would ask that the public withhold judgment until such time as a verdict has been rendered by a competent jury.

C. ROLLINS TINSLEY.
Oakland, December 9.

THE WEST WATERFRONT.

To the Editor of The Tribune:

Mr. Smith is still writing unintelligibly about our harbor facilities. He persists in speaking of the proposed F. M. Smith lease, so-called, as covering the western waterfront and therefore dominating the outer harbor, when it did not touch the waterfront, but left it free for development in docks and ships to receive deep water commerce. The pieces of pie now being cut by the city government are composed of the waterfront proper and close it tight against deep water commerce by rendering the outer harbor useless.

Your Smith correspondent says the way to get ships here is to secure business for them. Suppose the business were here in abundance, where would a deep-water ship find dockage and its cargo a warehouse?

Smith deals in "inferences" to the effect that I want to give a "monopoly for 100 years on the very large remaining waterfront land left to Oakland."

As no one has ever asked such a monopoly and no one has ever proposed to bestow it, Smith's inference is like the rest of his stuff.

I repeat that the majority of the present city council are guilty of a civic crime—a mean and contemptible crime—in destroying the commercial use of the western waterfront and closing the outer harbor. This crime is the blacker for the time chosen to commit it. The facilities for handling deep water commerce on the west side of the bay are exhausted. The commerce is rapidly increasing but accommodations for it can stretch no further. This is the time foreseen when the foundation was laid for the development of Oakland's outer harbor. But it was not developed. The time to prepare has been spent by our city government in bickering and quarreling, in conspicuous indecencies and violations of propriety, and now the opportunity is lost.

JNO. P. IRISH.

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Mrs. J. C. Kimball, prominent social light, moved to San Jose with her two daughters, Hattie and Jessie.

Robert M. Fitzgerald, Oakland attorney, returned from an inspection of the Rhode Island penitentiary.

Mrs. Mark Requa and Mrs. Oscar Fitzalan Long gave an elaborate party at The Highlands.

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MORE BREAD, HIGHER PRICE, SAY BAKERS

With the minimum 16-ounce loaf taking the place of the 12-ounce loaf as the smallest bread unit, in accordance with the new regulations of the food administration, residents of Oakland and the east bay cities find themselves this week apparently paying more for bread than they have been for the last few months. But the actual increase, say the bakers, is not a raise in price, but a raise corresponding to the additional amount of wheat which the consumer receives.

There is no association of master bakers in Alameda county corresponding to the organization in San Francisco, and the individual bakeries are conforming to the new rules without any cooperation. They are fixing their wholesale price to the retailers in accordance with the food administration's orders, and the retail price depends entirely upon the margin of profit which the retailer wishes to make.

"The old price of the 12-ounce loaf was 6 cents wholesale," said the manager of one of the largest baking concerns in Alameda county this morning, "and the majority of the retailers were selling this loaf at 7½ cents. They count on making a net profit of 20 per cent. Now that we have been compelled to increase the size of the minimum loaf baked to 16 ounces, we must increase the wholesale price to 8 cents to cover the additional amount of material. To make the same net profit of 20 per cent the retailer must sell at 10 cents. The 24-ounce loaf is sold wholesale at 12 cents and a 20 per cent net profit calls for a retail price of 15 cents."

As a matter of bare figures and percentages the retailers have been and are still at the new prices making a gross profit of 25 per cent. Out of this they must pay their expenses of handling, which probably reduce the net profit to 20 per cent or less. Regarding the increase in the size of the loaf sold there has been no actual increase in price to the consumer.

Mrs. W. T. Cleverdon, chairman of the Alameda county high cost of living committee, has sent a telegram to Herbert C. Hoover, protesting against what she termed a "25 per cent increase in bread prices."

OAKLAND LADS MAY BE AMONG HALIFAX DEAD

Two Oakland lads—Werner Olson, 2389 East Sixteenth street, and William Nixon, 7218 East Fourteenth street—may have lost their lives in the explosion in Halifax harbor which has already taken toll of victims from all over the United States and Canada.

Olson left Montreal on December 4, and should have been in Halifax on the day of the disaster, en route to the war zone as an aviator. Nixon enlisted in the British aviation corps in San Francisco and according to his brother, Thomas Nixon of this city, should also have been in Halifax on the fatal night.

No word has been received from relatives of either lad, and grave fears are felt for their safety. Young Olson, while of Canadian birth, lived many years in Oakland. He has two sisters in this city, Mrs. Victor Thompson, 5257 College avenue, and Miss M. H. Olson of the Claremont Hotel. He was formerly an employee of the American Can Company.

CIVIL SERVICE TO LOOK INTO MEAT CHARGE

An investigation by the civil service board is to be demanded by commission men and others of charges about the city hall that inspectors have been in the practice of condemning meat and then placing it on sale themselves.

No steps will be taken until President Roscoe Jones has returned to the city, when the full board will hear the charges. Commission men last night laid their side of the case before one of the members of the board.

MAYOR KNOWS.

It is declared that meat has actually been seized, ostensibly condemned, and later offered for sale, inspectors making the profit. Mayor John L. Davie said today:

"I have knokn that this has been going on for some time. I know of a case where carcasses—calves, I believe—were demanded of the Wells Fargo Company, the inspectors declaring that they would kerosene them as unfit to eat. The express company would not let them go until the charges were paid. Later the charges were paid, and the inspectors took away the meat. When Gene Young, the owner, came for it he was told that the inspectors had it. He traced the meat and found it being offered for sale to a slaughter house. After a row he got it back."

"Furthermore," declares Mayor Davie, "It is a fact that the Civil Service Board has declared that the health department is the worst administered in the city.

HARRIS QUOTED.

Walter Harris, Oakland commission man, said today:

"Inspector Charles Martin of the health department, yesterday gave out a statement that my store ought to be condemned," he said. "As neither Commissioner Jackson or any of his inspectors have been in my store for a year I am at a loss to see where they get the idea Dr. Jackson's inspectors allow meat to lie 14 hours in the open at the Sixteenth street station."

Commissioner Jackson and his department offer a general denial. They declare their rejections are always within the law and that they do not fear investigation

MADE TELLER.

ALAMEDA, Dec 13 — C. E Rowlands of 1103 Union street, this city, has been appointed teller at the Citizens' Bank, succeeding Eric Y Pollard, who resigned to take over the Oakland business of his brother, Frank Pollard.

MRS. VICKERY IS CHILD, MENTALLY

Everybody went to school today in Judge Ogden's court in connection with the trial of Katherine Vickery for the killing of Albert Williams, and the defendant, who says she loves excitement, was a bit bored. The jury and the judge occasionally yawned and the spectators went to sleep. H. E Knollin, an expert in applied psychology, was on the stand to explain the result of the Binet-Simon test of intelligence as applied to the defendant, and Attorney Lin S. Church took him methodically through the experiment requiring him to give all the questions put to the defendant and the answers she made.

The witness said that according to her responses to the test she registered the mentality of a normal child of the age of 11 years and six months, which agreed with the result obtained by Mrs. Grace M. Hawkins, a psychology technician, who preceded Knollin on the stand to give the results obtained by her in a similar test.

Prosecuting Attorney Theodore Wittschen was successful in his effort to discredit the result of the test as given by the first witness, who was apparently inexperienced in giving testimony before a jury, and a great deal of comedy was interjected into the proceedings, but Knollin proceeded systematically with an explanation of the system and how the test is applied to a subject, and made an effective witness for the defense. Wittschen argued unsuccessfully against the admission of the testimony, contending that the determination of the defendant's intellectual level had nothing to do with the question of her sanity, which has come to be the whole question before the jury, the fact of the shooting having been competently proved.

One of the questions in the 10-year age gave Mrs. Vickery some occasion for thought. It was, "What ought one to do before undertaking a matter of very great importance?" The witness said that she pondered over the question for a long time before replying, "Look into the matter, investigate it," on which answer she was given a plus mark. The next question the defendant answered only by silence: "Why should we judge a person more by his acts than his words?"

The test as given the defendant by Mrs. Hawkins showed that according to the Binet system Mrs. Vickery has the mental equivalent of a normal child of 11 years 7½ months.

Movies Change British Views of U. S. Intent

Declaring that movie films of American war activities are changing England's viewpoint of America, and that even in Great Britain it is conceded that American brains and ingenuity are going to win the war, Dr. Don D. Weaver, formerly of the Oakland College of Physicians and Surgeons, and now attached to a base hospital just out of London, with the United States Marine corps, has written a letter to friends in this city, in which he describes the changed attitude toward this country. He says:

"Through Lord Northcliffe and the influence of the movie films, the British are beginning to realize the fact that we amount to something in the United States and also that we mean business. Further than this, they realize that they need our help and need it badly. Most of the people are ignorant concerning America. Just at the time the Italian tragedy and the Russian defalcation from the ranks of the allies were depressing the English people, Lord Northcliffe returned with news of what America was doing. In addition are the large numbers of patriotic American moving picture films being displayed here which are reaching the English people in a way nothing else could.

"American brains and ingenuity are going to win this war. Things will continue much as they are until we strike. At the present time England is as strong for President Wilson as they were against him when he held out so long for peace and the rest of the world shouted 'war.' He knew the hell we were getting into and was right to keep us out as long as he could. I think that the American people do not realize the seriousness of the situation even yet. They will when we have actually occupied the trenches for a year or more—something which we may be called upon to do."

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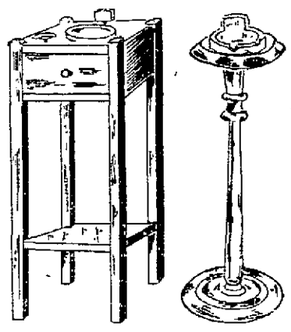

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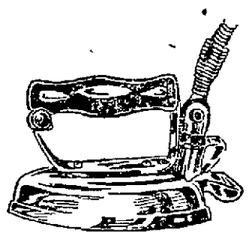

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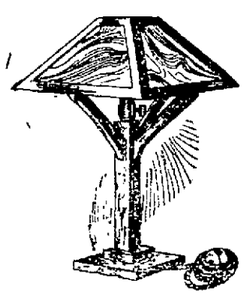

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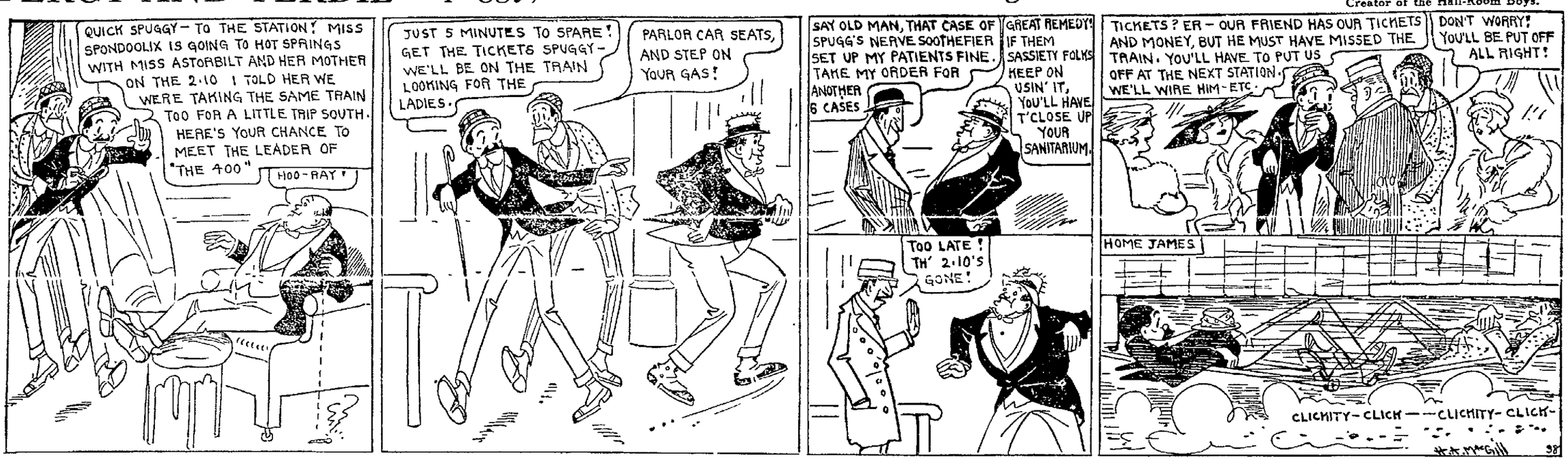

Local Player Interest Needed to Save Baseball During War Conditions

The Sacramento Winter League May Get Into Tribune Series Plans

By CARL E. BRAZIER

Despite all the possibility of things being bad for baseball during the coming year, it looks like a great year for the youngsters—and that means a great future for baseball. Right here on the Pacific Coast baseball had developed a bit too much into the old rut of winning the current year's pennant with too little regard and worry as to where the future stars of the diamond were to come from. Cal Ewing's four-busher rule represented the right idea last season, but it was going a bit too strong for a starter; it represented too sudden a change in policy for the other clubs or the fans to grasp.

Now, however, with war conditions hanging over baseball, the choice lies between all old-timers who are beyond the draft age—except of course the players whose families exempt them from military service—and the youngsters who are not yet subject to military service. And of the two it looks as though there were no argument on the point that the youngsters are the best choice. The choice of the youngsters will not seriously lower the standard of baseball that the fans have been accustomed to see, and it will protect the future of the game against the lack of material which is sure to be critical at the end of the coming season if war conditions continue right through the playing year.

WANT LOCAL YOUNGSTERS

Not only will the future of the game be protected but the magnates cannot get away from the choice of the youngsters for another reason. The fans have seen all the veteran players in action and there will be no particular novelty in putting them out on the field again. With the youngsters on the other hand if they are picked from California fields—the fans will have a personal interest in the game that they have been losing for the last few seasons. The decline in interest in Coast League ball has been in direct proportion to the growing habit of Coast League managers to look east north and south for players—everywhere but to pick up the players whom the fans know personally.

This coming season will be the time for the young player to make baseball what it was a few years ago. With the magnates having plenty of time to see ahead and map out their financial course so that there will be no repetition of the commercialism squabbles that have broken out in former seasons the Coast League should have a good year. The magnates know what they are up against financially and can provide for their own safety ahead of time. And they can arouse some of the old time interest in baseball by giving the youngsters a chance—the youngsters in whom the fans are interested not the youngsters imported from other parts of the country.

BUSHERS ARE LEARNING

The East Bay Cities Midwinter League is showing right now the possibilities of this interest in local players and if the Coast League clubs are wise they will take a lesson from the Class A race in the winter league. Here there are just enough of the veteran baseball heads to get out and steady the youngsters and teach them the things that they could not hope to learn by themselves but the youngsters are there and every fan whose forty-second cousin lives anywhere near a certain player wants to see him every Sunday and see how the kids are getting along playing alongside the seasoned veteran. And the fans are surprised at the showing that the youngsters are making.

There is no reason why any Coast League club should go out of the red this year. If Seattle and Sacramento are added to the league and the Coast League circuit becomes an eight club [illegible] there will be all the more chance for the youngsters. For two new clubs must be built up. But even if the Seattle invasion plan does not go through and even if Portland's franchise is transferred to Sacramento and the Coast League is kept within a six club limit there will still be many gaps to fill. Major league vacancies must be filled and the veterans of the Coast League will be in demand thus increasing the number of vacancies in Coast League ranks [illegible] occasioned by war conditions.

WILL BALANCE STRENGTH

There are sure to be [illegible] among Coast League clubs [illegible] next few weeks. Just as soon as the classification of the leagues [illegible] determined the clubs will [illegible] their teams. There will [illegible] players the magnates [illegible] risk arousing [illegible] extent, but the clubs owning [illegible] the fans want an even [illegible] bound to be seen [illegible] trades that will balance [illegible] baseball strength among clubs. This will have [illegible] the clubs about evenly [illegible] should mean about [illegible] the youngsters.

Player limits will probably [illegible] low as sixteen and [illegible] fifteen in the Coast League [illegible] and the prospects are that [illegible] higher mark will be enforced [illegible] fent of three or possibly four [illegible] no previous Class A or better [illegible] and after the fans have seen [illegible] of this new baseball they will [illegible] the old there may be a lower [illegible] of baseball as far as big ball is concerned, but if the young teams from the local lots are given a chance there will be the personal interest among the fans that will make them inclined to overlook other things. But the personal interest must be there to get fans accustomed to the new order of things and that personal interest can be created only by picking up the young players whom the fans know.

OTHER WINTER LEAGUES

This is where the winter baseball leagues up and down the coast are going to play their figure. Also this is where the winter baseball where the youngster has a chance to play alongside the veteran and learn something is showing its value. The local winter league is but one of the numerous leagues now in operation. There are Class A and Class B divisions in the East Bay Cities League, there is also the Alameda county amateur league, where professionals are barred but where in reality that rule has been forgotten and some of the boys would hardly stand a P. A. A. inspection, there is the San Francisco winter league across the bay, down south teams in San Diego San Pedro and Los Angeles are just getting under way and up in Sacramento, Pancho Murphy is back at his old tricks again and will probably have a winter league going in a week or two.

So it looks as though there may be more than one other league besides the East Bay league to be considered in The TRIBUNE'S plans for a post-season series for the coast winter championship. The TRIBUNE is now working with Los Angeles newspapermen to arouse interest in such a series with the southern league winner and as soon as the Sacramento league is organized a proposition of a post season series will be made in that direction. In the meantime the East Bay Cities Mid winter league is setting all the other leagues a fast pace both in the quality of ball played and also in the interest aroused among the fans.

Alameda County Amateur League

SAN LEANDRO LEADS LEAGUE

[illegible] this is a source to the local fold in the last half of the ninth Sent Mathews over the [illegible] the only run made San Leandro won and sent the Newark Wedgewood [illegible] second place in the Alameda County Amateur league. The game was witnessed by the largest crowd that ever attended a game in San Leandro and was a fast [illegible] game played on the Cherry City lot. One hit was the best the Newarks could do with Caldera while San Leandro got away with six. The teams were evenly matched and the game was closely played throughout [illegible]

SAN LEANDRO	P	H	H		NEWARK	R	H	F
Eggers cf	0	0	0	K	Walk c	0	0	1
Mathews lf	1	1	0	Gerlach ss		0	0	0
Carter ss	0	0	0	Oliver lf		0	0	0
Christensen 3b	0	2	1	Marshall 2b		0	0	0
Jerome 2b	0	1	1	Vierra cf		0	0	0
Vargas c	0	1	0	Gerlach 1b		0	0	0
Caldera p	0	0	0	Collins p		0	0	0
Totals	1	6	4	Totals		0	1	2

Summary: Two base hits Vargas Flies [illegible] Double plays—Gerlach to [illegible] Caldera Struck out—By Caldera 4 Walked—By Caldera 1 Left on bases—Newark 4 San Leandro 4 Time of game—1 hour [illegible]

WIN UNDER NEW NAME

[illegible] the team of the Lawrence [illegible] Brooklyn [illegible] with the latter [illegible] a little the later. The eighth inning proved the downfall of Philadelphia for the visitors hopped on [illegible] for four hits that [illegible]

COLLEGE TOWN	P	H	F	BROOKLYN	P	H	F
[illegible] ss	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] 2b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] cf	0	1	0	Hubert cf	0	0	0
[illegible] 2b	1	1	0	Shannon 1b	0	0	1
[illegible] f			1	Willard 2b	0	1	1
[illegible]			1	[illegible] ss	0	1	0
[illegible]			1	Al Demback ss	1	1	1
[illegible]	0	0	0	[illegible] c	1	2	0
[illegible]	1	1	1	Demback rf	0	1	0
[illegible]				Salander p	0	1	0
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Totals	2	7	3

Summary: Struck out—By Iredatt 12 by [illegible] Walked—By Iredatt 2 by [illegible] Three base hits—Williams, Goldbeck [illegible] Sacrifice hits—Patton

Tommy McFarland Is Held to a Draw

[illegible] Rogers [illegible] to soldiers of the national army [illegible] were among those who [illegible] boxing [illegible] night. The program [illegible] Tommy [illegible] of the New [illegible] of the [illegible] towns [illegible] a three round bout.

Service Teams Plan Football Title Series

Utah Artillery and Naval Station Winner May Meet Marines.

SAN DIEGO, Dec 11 — The 3 to 3 tie played Sunday by the Utah artillery eleven and the naval training station football team for the local service championship, will be played off in the city stadium Sunday December 23 according to announcement made after a conference of athletic officers of army and navy.

The officers hope to have the winner of the contest meet the winner of the game to be played at Pasadena New Years day by the Camp Lewis team and the marines from Mare Island. The final contest if arranged will be for the service championship of the Pacific coast.

Y. M. C. A. Boys Will Entertain Parents

Boxing, wrestling, gymnasium exhibitions and tumbling, with fancy diving and other equatic sports in the swimming pool will be the program at the Y. M. C. A. tonight when the Boys' Division gives a gymnasium demonstration for the benefit of their parents and friends. Starting at 7:45 there will be an elaborate program arranged under the direction of the boys department staff and the physical department. T. S. Caldwell is boys secretary in charge of the work of his department and W. A. [illegible] physical director. Invitations [illegible] dates older business boys and younger business boys will give the program which will be closed by twenty minutes of aquatic exhibition in the swimming pool by the Y. M. C. A. swimming club, under the direction of Dr. Wallace.

Soldier Bull Young Wins Salt Lake Bout

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah Dec 11 — Soldier Bull Young of the California coast artillery defeated Eddie King of the 40th infantry in a six round bout before the Manhattan club here last night. It was Young's fight all the way, but he could not put King out.

Gordon McKay of Portland Oregon defeated Kid Howe of the 20th infantry in a six round bout and Kid Mack of Salt Lake City won over Lou Dillon of Denver in the last round of a four round bout.

Pelsinger on Camp Kearny Fight Card

SAN DIEGO Dec 11—What boxing fans believe will be the best card arranged in many weeks is scheduled at Dreamland tomorrow night when Ed Petrosky a one time near champion middleweight meets Sergt. George Prosser of Camp Kearny in four rounds. Petrosky is now a member of the marines here. Dutch Crocker of the naval training station and Sammy Pelsinger a classy lightweight from Oakland now at Camp Kearny, will also go four rounds. Three other bouts have been arranged.

Notre Dame Football Mainstay in Army

SOUTH BEND Ind Dec 11 — Jim Frank Rydzewski the giant Pole who has been the mainstay of the Notre Dame football line for the past two years has joined the forces of Uncle Sam. He enlisted in the ordnance department.

Thus far Rydzewski has won honors as center on All-American, All-Western and All Indiana teams picked by leading sports writers of the west.

WRESTLING TOURNEY

NEW YORK Dec 11 — In the international wrestling tournament last night three finish matches were decided. Yussuff Hussane (Balkans) defeated Fred Pilakoff (Finland) with a crotch and head hold in seven minutes and [illegible] seconds. Joseph Rogers (United States) threw H. Stevens (England) with a body hold in ten minutes and twenty-six seconds. Wladek Zbyszko (Poland) conquered Pierre Le Pelo (Belgium) in seven minutes and [illegible] seconds with an inside arm and body hold.

ECKERSALL RECOVERS

CHICAGO Dec 11—Walter Eckersall sport writer and former football star expected to leave St. Luke's Hospital today where he was taken [illegible] critically ill from a nervous breakdown [illegible]

Hermann and Tener Fight in Air Today

Who's Who in National League Will Be Settled at Meeting.

NEW YORK, Dec 11 — Who's who in the National League probably will be decided today. At least some progress in that direction will be made when Garry Herrmann, chairman of the National Baseball Commission, and John K. Tener president of the National League begin exchanging glares across the green table in the stateroom at the Woldorff. Garry is merely a club owner so far as his connection with the National League is concerned.

Herrmann had what some folks call bad taste enough to call a joint meeting of the American and National club owners, to follow the annual meeting of the two big leagues. Tener feels that the president of the league should have something to say about it.

There have been rumors that Tener would declare to the world his intention of leaving baseball unless Garry withdraws his summons to a joint talking contest. If he does that, it is believed Herrmann will back down and take next best. Tener has shown himself to be a most powerful figure in baseball. He said last summer he would not be a candidate for re-election, but a short time later the league magnates unanimously requested him again to accept the presidency and Tener said he would. So far as is known, that still is his intention.

The has been an accepted fact that the league would be only a matter of form with congratulations already prepared for Tener. However, disquieting rumors were bandying about today. They had it that Tener is through unless he can have his own way completely.

The International League will be in simultaneous session with its big brother today, the session of the big minor having been adjourned to await the arrival of a pair of delayed club owners.

Jack Hendricks manager of the Indianapolis club, is expected to reach the city today for a conference with Branch Rickey president of the Cardinals, over Hendricks' signing a contract to manage the Cards.

Independent League

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Clubs—	Won	Lost	Pct
Monarchs	3	0	1000
Pacific Pipes	2	1	667
Big Brother Elks	1	2	333
Bay View Cubs	1	2	333

RESULTS SUNDAY

Pacific Pipes 7 Big Brother Elks 6
Bay View Cubs 0 Monarchs 4

The Monarchs made it three in a row and still hold a perfect average by defeating the Bay View Cubs in a fast and snappy game. Steengrafe's pitching was the feature, he allowing but one hit while fourteen were turned back on strikes.

In the second game of the league the Pacific Pipes trimmed the Big Brother Elks 7 to 6. Barney of the Pipes had the lodge boys eating out of his hand until the last inning when he weakened and was yanked in favor of Marshall. During his time with them and Barney fanned fifteen. Jones for the Elks pitched good ball but was not there in the pinches. Jones and Nunes for the Elks and Guerra and Nunes for the winners featured with the willow.

Next Sunday the Pacific Pipes meet the Bay View Cubs at Poplar Playgrounds and the Monarchs meet the Big Brother Elks. Following are the scores:

BAY VIEW CUBS	R	H	E	MONARCHS	R	H	E
[illegible] lf	0	0	0	Martin lf	0	1	0
[illegible] 2b	0	0	0	Smith 3b	0	0	1
[illegible] c	0	0	0	Camara cf	0	0	1
[illegible] 1b	0	0	0	M Steengrafe p	1	1	0
[illegible] 3b	0	1	1	Rogers ss	1	1	0
[illegible] cf	0	0	0	H Steengrafe 2b	0	0	1
[illegible] rf	0	0	1	[illegible] c	1	1	0
[illegible] ss	0	0	0	Welch 1b	1	1	0
[illegible] p	0	0	1	Bell rf	0	0	1
Totals	0	1	4	Totals	4	5	3

Summary: Struck out—By New 10 by Steengrafe 11. Walked—By New 3 by Steengrafe 2. Two base hits M Steengrafe Silva Martin.

PACIFIC PIPES	R	H	E	BIG BROTHER ELKS	R	H	E
Kroeckel rf	1	1	0	Moore 2b	1	1	3
[illegible] ss	1	2	1	Carpenter c	1	1	0
[illegible] 2b	1	1	0	Jones p	0	3	0
Marshall 3b p	2	1	1	D [illegible]	1	0	0
[illegible] cf	2	1	0	Steengrafe ss	0	0	2
[illegible] 1b	1	2	0	Crossing cf	1	1	0
[illegible] lf	0	0	0	Frost lf	0	0	0
[illegible] c	0	0	1	Davis 1b	1	1	0
[illegible]	0	0	0	Nunes rf	1	2	0
Totals	7	8	3	Totals	6	9	5

Summary: Struck out—By Barney 15 by [illegible] Walks—By Barney 5 by Jones 2. Two base hits—Crossing Davis Moore Elliot.

Barrieau-Webb Bout Will Be Fandom Test Tomorrow

Emeryville Club Will Close Up Shop If Local Fights Are Not Popular

Fight activities across the bay are at a standstill with the exception of the Association club which has always made a practice of keeping away from the stars and putting on fight cards of local boys. Now comes Tommy Simpson, matchmaker of the Emeryville Athletic club, with the announcement that the Emeryville arena is likely to stay just as dark as Dreamland rink if the local fighting game does not prove popular with the fans. Simpson is planning some sort of a feature card for New Years day and will probably follow that with another feature card on Washington's birthday. But outside of those feature cards, Simpson is planning nothing but a series of bouts to give the local boys a chance.

If the fans like the local fight game—local boys making up the entire card, and popular prices being charged—the fans can have a weekly program at Emeryville. But if the fans do not show tomorrow night they are for this style of game Simpson does not propose to bother with any more fight cards until his holiday feature cards fall due.

Frank Barrieau and Wild Willie Webb in the main event and Jimmy Dundee and Al Grunan in the special event will be the two final bouts on tomorrow night's program that the Emeryville club offers as a test of the fans. Prices have been slashed back to where they were before the fight clubs around the bay started on this rabid search for eastern "stars." If the card makes a hit with the fans, the Emeryville club will stage another card of local fighters a week from tomorrow night. If the card is not a success the Emeryville arena will be dark until New Year's day. So the future of the fight game on this side of the bay is up to the fans.

Among the fight fans it looks as though everything were satisfactory, however. For the Barrieau and Webb match has aroused more interest in places where fight fans congregate than has any other single local bout staged in some time. The fans who have gone to laugh at Webb have come to be his boosters, and he will have most of the fans pulling for him tomorrow night. The fans argue that Webb will wear Barrieau down with those wild rushes, and that Barrieau will do the more clever boxing. Webb's persistent aggressiveness will carry him through.

In the special event, Jimmy Dundee is being picked to beat Al Grunan in what looks like one of those perfect mixtures of clever boxing pitted against the fighting of the boring-in style. Grunan has shown himself a clever scrapper, but even the boys who figure that he had the better of the last meeting of these two boys, concede that there would have been no possible argument if Dundee had kept plugging away and left Grunan less chance to stand off and fight at long range. Dundee won fairly enough before, but some of the boys were inclined to dispute the decision. This time Dundee should leave no chance for the boys to argue.

The rest of the card is made up entirely of boys known to the fans—Frankie Denny meets Young Joe Gans, Eddie Gorman meets Spider Webb, George Hale meets Young Sharkey. Eddie Landon will hook up with Red Bresnan and the curtain raiser will be staged by Tony Sherer and Eddie Daley. The first bout will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow night at the Emeryville arena.

Lid on Cleveland Boxing to Be Lifted

CLEVELAND, Dec 11 — The lid on professional boxing in Cleveland which was clamped on temporarily by Mayor Davis, following the fatal accident to El Paso Jimmy Wilson at the Moose club November 28 will be removed next week, when the Cleveland boxing commission expects to resume issuing permits.

Porky Elynn Dropped by Fred Fulton

Boston Heavyweight Lasts Less Than Two Rounds Against Battler.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Dec. 11 — With a short left jab flush to the point of the jaw, Fred Fulton, Rochester, Minn., heavyweight, knocked out Porky Flynn of Boston after two minutes and eighteen seconds of fighting in the second round of what was to have been a twelve round fight here last night.

Fulton was on his man from the start, using short blows to the body while Flynn endeavored to cover up. In the opening round Fulton landed hard to the head with his left and Flynn seemed dazed. Several times he was knocked against the ropes so hard that he had to be helped off.

The end came after Fulton rushed his man around the ring. Flynn missed long swings repeatedly and did not land half a dozen blows, while Fulton was after his opponent from the tap of the gong. After rushing his man from a neutral corner to his own, Fulton caught Flynn squarely on the jaw with a hard left smash that sent Flynn over the ropes.

It was the third meeting between the two. Fulton said after the fight that if Jess Willard, present heavyweight titleholder, continued to ignore his challenge after December 20 he would claim the title and would be willing to meet all comers.

Ban Johnson Will Continue in Office

CHICAGO, Dec 11—Ban Johnson will continue as president of the American League unless he is called to perform some war duty for the government. He made this statement today in refutation of the report that he would resign when the club owners of his circuit hold their annual meeting here tomorrow.

BASKETBALL NOTES

The Oakland High School [illegible] first real work [illegible] court with a squad [illegible] full-fledged veteran out for the team. Captain Larsen hopes that will give the [illegible] league a hard brush [illegible] Most of last year's [illegible] members of the team [illegible] will graduate in a few days now. But in spite of their stars the seniors were [illegible] in the interclass games last [illegible]

In the guard [illegible] Larsen and Miles besides several other [illegible] for forward Purdy and Pettis [illegible] Thompson Dorr [illegible] lock and Murphy [illegible] candidates for the center position [illegible] these there are Lewis [illegible] for guard position [illegible] of football this year who [illegible] make a bid for a guard position [illegible] this week.

This afternoon the Seven [illegible] girls will [illegible] single in the first of their series of games for the banner. On Wednesday the first year and eighth will meet for the second time this season.

The Baby Golds 120 pound team defeated [illegible] Heroes second [illegible] score stood [illegible] the Heroes never had [illegible] chance to get the ball [illegible] Golds basket [illegible] and Gilbert [illegible] for the Baby Golds Hutchison is center and Cushing and Chou [illegible] forwards. The Baby Golds are looking for games. Address M. Hutchison, 777 Keith avenue Oakland.

The Oakland Chinese basketball team defeated the Vocational High school [illegible] team by a score of 16 to 4 [illegible] Lincoln school court. The game did not start until the second [illegible] thirteen of their sixteen points after half time was called. The team includes Alfred and [illegible] Yoon center and Harry, Murphy and Jonas guards.

The Oakland Golds the unlimited Y. M. C. A. team is practicing every Wednesday night in preparation for the State Y. M. C. A. league recently organized. More than two teams of crack players are turning out with more than a sprinkling of veterans on the job. Laughlin Hjelte, Street and others of the past Gold teams are optimistic of cleaning up when the league games start.

BEST AUSTRIANS

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 11. — Hissing when "The Star-Spangled Banner" was played here at a patrotic gathering resulted in the first clash of the war between Austrians and Americans, with a decided defeat for America's newest enemy. About thirty Austrians were ejected from the hall when they showed displeasure at the playing of the American national anthem, but made an effort to re-enter while a patriotic address was being delivered. They succeeded in breaking through the door in their counter-attack, but after five minutes of furious fighting the scene was cleared of all Austrians, with the exception of a few wounded.

SENT TO CHINA.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Dec. 11.—On a liner arriving here were twelve British army officers, who said they were on their way to China on a military mission.

HONORS BELGIANS

HAVRE, Monday, Dec. 10.—General Petain the French commander-in-chief, visited Belgian general headquarters today and conferred the grade of grand officer of the Legion of Honor on General De Ceyninck, the Belgian minister of war, and on General Rucquoy, the Belgian chief of staff Later General Petain was received by King Albert, in whose company he reviewed a large force of Belgian troops.

RATES UNFAIR

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Rates on petroleum oil and its products in carload lots from southeastern Kansas to points in Oklahoma were today found to be undeasonable by the Interstate Commerce Commission Reasonable maximum rates were prescribed for the future. The Katy, Iron Mountain, Santa Fe, Missouri Pacific and other lines are affected.

CATCH BANDITS

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—More than $1700 of the $10,000 taken from the Stockmen's Trust and Savings Bank in a daring daylight roobery by automobile bandits a week ago has been recovered, according to announcement made today by State's Attorney Hoyne. Three men are under arrest and one of them is declared to have confessed.

Edward ("Spike") O Donnell, a saloon-keeper and alleged head of the gang, Patrick Donovan and a third man, whose name has not been revealed, are in custody Of the money recovered it is declared $500 was found in O'Donnell's home and approximately $1200 was recovered with the arrest of Donovan, who is alleged to have confessed

Aided by Donovan's alleged confession the police are seeking four other members of the gang.

GIVE WHIST PARTY

The Women of the Allied Interests will celebrate the second anniversary of their organization by a turkey whist tournament and entertainment in Lincoln Hall tonight. Circle No. 1 will be hosts of the affair. The committee in charge consists of Mrs. William Kochendorfer, Mrs. A. Fisher, Mrs. William P. Courtney, Mrs. Dick Knabbe, Mrs. Charles Lane, Mrs Z. Merkt, Mrs. R. J. Nelson and Miss L. Siebe.

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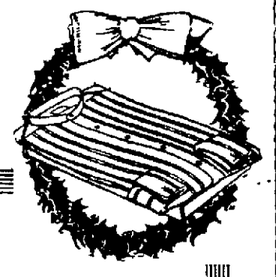

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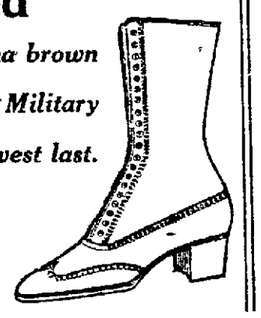

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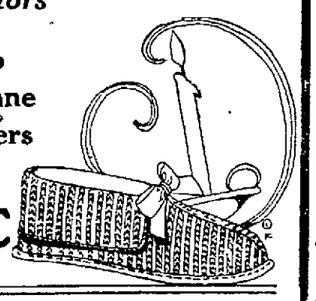

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The record corn crop amounted to 3,159,494,000 bushels, with a farm value December 1 of $4,053,672,000.

Winter and spring wheat production was 650,828,000 bushels, valued at $1,807,418,000.

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FRATS WILL UNITE

BERKELEY, Dec. 11. — Sorority and fraternity houses at the University of California are planning to Hooverize by purchasing their supplies on a co-operative plan. More than $20,000 a month will be involved by the co-operative system of buying. Paul de Fremery, a member of the Beta Chi Pi fraternity house, originated the idea. The sorority and fraternity houses have been observing wheatless and meatless day for some time.

JAIL AUSTRIAN

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—August Treder, an Austrian, was arrested on a Presidential warrant by Deputy Marshal Thomas Butler this morning for violation of the espionage act as a dangerous alien. The department of justice intelligence bureau declined to reveal the activities of Treder, but he is alleged to have been guilty of pro-German remarks.

ABANDON CAMP?

ROCKFORD, Ill., Dec. 11—Rumors here persist despite denials that Camp Grant is to be abandoned as a training camp as well as reports that the camp may be turned into an internment camp for alien enemies. It is said plans to imprison enemies here for the duration of the war have been discussed both at central department Washington.

According to word which has passed through the camp, the selects here will be transferred to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., the men of the two cantonments being consolidated into one division.

TO CHANGE NAME

Superior Judge James G. Quinn will on January 15 hear the application of Charles Frederick Uhlhorn to change his name to that of Charles Tanner, the applicant declaring that he does not like to go around with a name of German origin. Uhlhorn was born in California 47 years ago and is unmarried.

NEW SANITARY

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Camel 10c
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Velvet, 16 oz. 75c
Prince Albert, 16 oz. 85c
Tuxedo, 14 oz. 85c
CHEWING TOBACCOS.
Star .....49c Plug
Horseshoe .....49c Plug
Penn's thick .....49c Plug
TOBACCOS.
Durham 4c
Velvet 8c
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Tuxedo 9c
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Clay Street Entrance

Sirloin or Tenderloin Steaks—per pound .....**20¢**
Pot Roast, per pound.....**15¢**
Shoulder Rib Steaks, lb..**17½¢**
Wild Hare, each .....**30¢**

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51875, 74038, 68615, 66177, 68047, 57436, 62423, 189066, 70224, 79421, 78564, 63451, 53701, 64794, 74144, 94963.

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Prime Rib and Loin Mutton Chops, lb. 20c
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Extra fancy Pippin Apples, per box $1.45
Fancy Sunkist Navel Oranges, 20c, two dozen 35c
Sunkist Lemons.....14 for 10c
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1:30p	Sacramento, Pittsburg, Chico & Way.
3:30p	Sacramento, Pittsburg, Bay Pt.
4:30p	Concord, Diablo and Way Stations.
5:09p	THE METEOR-Pittsburg, Sacramento Marysville, Oroville, Chico, Colusa. Observation Car.
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Temperance and Prohibition

In this time of war, when every national energy is directed to thoughts of national protection, it is inevitable that the country should be confronted with the problem of Intemperance. It is more insistently necessary than ever before to recognize that it is a paramount public duty to preserve the highest qualities of American manhood unimpaired by any form of Intemperance.

In the anxious, almost hysterical desire to do **something** first, and to consider later its wisdom, there was much clamor for National Prohibition.

Russia, aforetime the Land of Vodka and of Misery, and then the Land of Prohibition by Ukase, was cited as the Exemplar of man's readiness to become abstinent by Fiat.

Russia today, in her riot of License and Anarchy, is the Exemplar of the swing of the human pendulum to violent extremes.

Life, as Men in their ignorance seek to make it, is a pendulum, swinging forever to extremes. Life, as Wisdom knows it avoids all excesses. Life's pendulum cannot hold fast at either extreme.

Prohibition is the pendulum's extreme swing from Intemperance. In steady equilibrium stands TEMPERANCE, moderating the extremes of both madnesses.

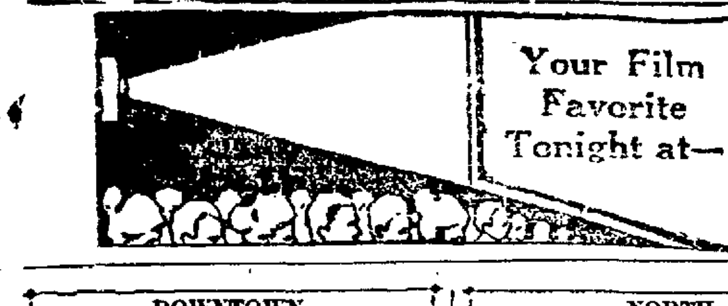
Prohibition makes abstainers only of those who WILL to abstain, and more eager drunkards of those who WILL to be drunken.

True Temperance makes no abstainers by coercion and encourages no drunkards. "No nation is drunken where wine is cheap," wrote Thomas Jefferson out of his wisdom and knowledge, "and none sober where the dearness of wine substitutes ardent spirits as the common beverage."

Thus he enunciated a Universal Principle. Whether we say wine or beer—with less than one-third the alcoholic content of wine—the Principle is the same and is known to the Experience of the Ages.

This Principle is now firmly fixed in our Federal laws—and will produce a more truly NATIONAL TEMPERANCE than the coercion of Prohibition.

The United States Brewers' Association.



DOWNTOWN.

AMERICAN 17th-Clay-San Pablo. Dustin Farnum, "Scarlet Pimpernel"; Ann Murdock, "Please Help Emily."

NEW T. & D. Bdwy.-11th — JACK PICKFORD, LOUISE HUFF, "Jack and Jill."

BROADWAY.

HARRY CAREY, Edith Sterling, "Secret Man." REGENT, 12th.

RUTH STONEHOUSE, "Follow the Girl"; com. IMPERIAL, 10th.

EAST.

EAST TWELFTH STREET.

JEAN SOTHERN, "Miss Deception"; com.; cartoon. PARK, 7th ave.

ELMHURST.

PEARL WHITE, in the "Fatal Ring." BIJOU, 84th ave.

NORTH.

PIEDMONT AVENUE.

NEW PIEDMONT Linda, at Piedmont—Mat 2 p m ANN MURDOCK in "The Beautiful Adventure."

COLLEGE AVENUE.

STRAND College, at Ashby — Ethel Clayton, "Dormant Power"; Mabel Taliaferro, "Jury of Fate."

BERKELEY.

T. & D. Shattuck-Kittredge — REV. PAUL SMITH'S "Finger of Justice." (Rev. Smith appears in person.)

SOUTH BERKELEY.

ETHEL CLAYTON, "Dormant Power"; O. Henry story; com. LORIN.

TELEGRAPH AVENUE.

STRAND 33d—Alma Ruebens, "The Firefly of Tough Luck."

BOOKBINDING AT THE TRIBUNE.

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Live Oak Lodge No. 61 meets every Friday eve. at Masonic Temple, 12th and Washington.

Scottish Rite Bodies

Cathedral, 15th and Madison sts., meets Mon. eve., Jan. 7; stated meeting, election of officers.

Friday, Dec. 14, Ladies Scottish Rite Club.

AAHMES TEMPLE

A. A. O. N. M. S. meets 3rd Wednesday of month at Pacific Bldg., 16th-Jefferson sts. Visiting nobles welcome. Dr. J. L. Pease, Potentate; J. A. Hill, Recorder.

I. O. O. F.

PORTER LODGE NO. 273 meets every Monday evening in Porter Hall, 1918 Grove street. Visiting brothers cordially invited. J. A. HOLMES, N. G.; G. C. HAZELTON, R. S.

I.O.O.F. TEMPLE

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FOUNTAIN NO. 198, I. O. O. F. Meets every Monday evening.

OAKLAND NO. 118, I. O. O. F. Meets every Tuesday evening.

NORTH OAKLAND NO. 401, I. O. O. F. Meets every Wednesday evening.

UNIVERSITY NO. 144, I. O. O. F. Meets every Friday evening.

GOLDEN RULE ENCAMPMENT NO. 34, I. O. O. F.—Meets every 2d and 4th Fri.

OAKLAND REBEKAH NO. 16. Meets every Saturday.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

OAKLAND LODGE NO. 103, Thurs., Dec. 13, at 8 o'clock. Election of officers, PAGE RANK. Cordial invitation extended to visiting brothers. Pythian Castle, 12th-Alice sts.; M. T. Stallworth, C. C.; Jas. Denniston, K. of R. & S.

D. O. K. K.

ABU-ZAID TEMPLE No. 201, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan. Official visit to Hercules Lodge Friday, Dec. 14. "Sunshine" degree team will confer PAGE RANK. Lessons of Friendship. Autos will leave 14th and San Pablo 7 o'clock. Warren Williams, Royal [illegible] retary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Paramount Lodge No. 17—Meeting every Wed. eve. at 8 o'clock, Pythian Castle, 12th and Alice sts. Visiting brothers welcome.

JAS. B. DUNHAM, C. C.
CHAS B. HOOD, K. of R. and S.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

OAKLAND COUNCIL NO. 784.

Meeting Wed., Dec. 12 at Knights of Columbus auditorium, 660 13th st.; visiting members welcome. Wm. J. Hayes, grand Knight; Wm. J. Kieferdorff, secretary.

NEW ENGLAND ASSOCIATION

California New England Association (Inc.) meets in Starr King Hall, 14th and Castro sts., Thursday, December 13. L. E. Brackett, Secretary, Piedmont 4773-W; 480 36th st.

PIEDMONT PARLOR NO. 120

N. S. G. W.

meets at Native Sons Hall, 11th and Clay sts. Grand Trustee Traeger will officially visit the Parlor on Dec. 13. There will be class initiation and refreshments. All members expected to be present.

J. L. THOMAS, President.
ELWIN B. CARSON, Recording Secy.

Royal Neighbors of America

OAKLAND CAMP NO. 3179 meets 2nd and 4th Tues., 8 p. m., I. O. O. F. Temple, 11th, at Franklin; oracle, Anna Young, Oak. 4955; vice-oracle, Florence M. Edwards; recorder, Vannie C. Shaw, Oakland 1878; physician, Dr. Lucy R. Kilgore.

PACIFIC CAMP NO. 2281 meets second and fourth Friday evenings, Pacific Bldg., 16th-Jefferson. Oracle, Florence Bressler, Piedmont 8111-W; recorder, Sadie West, Pied. 2500-J; physician, Dr. Minora Kibbe.

IMP. O. R. M.

TECUMSEH TRIBE NO. 62 meets Dec. 12, at 8 p. m., Porter Hall, 1918 Grove; chief degree and election of officers. Fred V. Zorn, Sachem; C. Wallburg, C. of R.; phone Piedmont 710.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS

COURT ADVOCATE 7378. Regular meeting Tues. eve., Dec. 11, 8 p. m. Visiting brothers welcome. Pythian Castle, 12th-Alice. O. E. McLean, C. R.; Jas. McCracken, Secy., 4101 Piedmont ave.

B. A. Y.

Oakland Homestead meets Friday evenings at N. S. G. W. Hall, 11th and Clay. Visitors always welcome. Foreman, H. S. Cooley, res. 2715 E. 16th st. Mrs. Louise Holmes, correspondent, Roslyn Apts.; phone Oakland 1683. Members and friends are invited to attend a whist tournament Friday, 7th inst. Admission fee will be charged.

MOOSE

OAKLAND LODGE NO. 324, LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE, meets every Friday night at Moose Hall, 12th and Clay sts.; Wm. J. Hamilton, Secretary.

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OAKLAND CAMP NO. 94, W. O. W.—Meets every Monday, 8 p. m.

ROOF GARDEN ASSEMBLY—Dance every Tuesday, 8 p. m.

NATIONAL UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY—Meets 1st and 3d Fri. evening

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U. S. W. V.

E. H. LISCUM CAMP, NO. 7, U. S. W. V.—Thursday evening, 8 o'clock, Memorial Hall, City Hall Bldg. Visiting members cordially invited. Chas. C. Garfield, Commander; M. W. Sellar, Adjutant, 893 54th st.

JOSEPH H. McCOURT CAMP No. 13, U. S. W. V., meets every 3d Thursday at Native Sons Hall, Shattuck, near Center, Berkeley. E. W. Turner, Commander; A. P. Hanscom, Adjutant.

V. F. W.

Ladies' Auxiliary to John Jacob Astor Post No. 85 meets Wed., Dec. 12, 8 p. m., Memorial Hall (City Hall). Visiting ladies cordially invited. Mrs. V. Hutcheson, Pres.; Mrs. Jessup, Secy.

Col. John Jacob Astor Post No. 85 meets same hall Dec. 19; visiting members cordially invited. Robt. C. Dunbar, Commander; G. D. Powers, Adj.

F. O. E.

NOTICE TO MEMBERS.

Aerie meets every Monday night, Odd Fellows Hall, 11th and Franklin, third floor, elevator. Visiting Eagles welcome. H. C. Tost, Pres.; Henry Kroeckel, 205 Com'l. Bldg., Secy.; physicians, Dr. E. M. Clark, Dr. Wm. F. Woller.

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MODERN WOODMEN

OAKLAND CAMP NO. 7236 meets Fraternal Hall, Odd Fellows Bldg., 11th-Franklin sts., Thursday eve., Dec. 13. Regular old-time meeting; special address. Ezra Cox, Ven. Con.; City Com. W. H. Edwards, Past Con.; J. F. Bethel, Clerk, room 17, Bacon Block.

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TELEGRAPH AVE., AT 21ST ST.
One block to S. P. and K. R. trains; swimming pool, shower bath (STEAM HEAT), gymnasium, cafeteria and all other modern conveniences; rates reas. PHONE LAKESIDE 1100.

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FRANKLIN ST., 1339—1-room bungalow, in rear, at very reasonable rent.

FRONT room, with or without kitchenette; 1 or 2 ladies. Ph. Ala. 315-J.

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8TH ST., 595, cor. Jefferson—2 sunny rooms for gentlemen.

13TH ST., 815—A nice pleasant room and bath, $2.50 wk.; near cars and locals.

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20TH ST., 640—Single furn. rooms by day, week or month, $1.25 to $2.50 per week; near all cars.

24TH ST., 678—Sunny front room; ref. req.; nr. K. R. and S. P.; reasonable.

45TH ST., 489—Sunny room; priv. home; bath adj.; reas. Phone Piedmont 6815.

ROOMS TO LET — UNFURNISHED.

3 SUNNY hskpg. rms.; pr. bath, phone, elec. and water free; refs. Oak. 1466.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

AAA—ALICE ST., 1441—A1 hkpg. room, also single room for gentleman.

ALICE, 1414, near Hotel Oakland—1 to 3 rooms, $10-$25. Ph. Lakeside 2968.

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MAN and wife to live in private home with 2 girls; brother taken to army; rent very reas. 439 E. 14th st.; phone Merritt 483.

MEAD AVE., 822, nr. 26th, off San Pablo ave.—Nice hkpg. room, suitable gentleman or lady; $2 week; fireplace.

MADISON ST., 1565—Sun. front rm.; priv. bath, gas, elec.; kitchenette; walk. dist.

MAGNOLIA, 842 — Large, sunny front rms.; nr. shipyards, S. P. Lake. 1653.

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8TH, [illegible] Near Grove—Apt., 3 sunny rooms, furnished.

12TH ST., 725—One nice, sunny room for [illegible] sleeping, free phone.

13TH ST., [illegible] front room, and [illegible]

14TH ST., [illegible] sinks, gas range, [illegible] wall beds, 1, 2 or 3 rooms. [illegible]

14TH ST., 610—Sunny front rooms, $6 and $10 [illegible] near City Hall.

15TH ST., 578—Bargain; 2 blocks City Hall; $10, also bachelor suite, $8.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS. (Continued)

21ST ST., 735—Suites of two and three rooms. Lakeside 4552.

22D ST., 641, nr. Grove—Two sunny rms., hot wat., etc.; all conv.; $13.

35TH st., 537, nr. Tel.—2 small rooms, large closet, furn., separate ent., $7.

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41ST ST., 551—Quiet sunny front 2-rm. apt.; nr. 40th and Tel. Key Route; adults.

44TH ST., 732—3, 4 or 6 housekeeping rooms; modern; reas. rent; adults only.

54TH ST., 722—2 sunny, connect. hkpg. rms.; 1 blk. K. R. and cars. Pied. 1778J.

55TH ST., 538, nr. Teleg.—2 front furn. hkpg. rms., $17, incl. gas, elec., water, phone.

3 or 4 FURN. rooms; walk. distance Scott's shipyard; adults; state price. Box 9326. Tribune.

$12; 3 FURN. for hkpg.; yard, elec., gas. 2158½ San Jose. Alameda.

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ALICE ST., 1817—Room and board; prices reasonable; board excellent.

E. 15TH ST., 1204—Good board and sunny room, $25. Phone Merritt 466.

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FLATS TO LET—UNFURNISHED.

A MOD. upper flat 7 rooms, all sunny; hot and cold water in bedrooms; garage; $22.50; 587 33d st., bet. Grove and Telegraph. Owner, phone Piedmont 2990.

CHEAP for right party, lower flat, big yard, price $11, water included. 3119 Coronado av.; Berk. 5883-W.

FOR RENT—5-room flat, $12 per month. 497 35th st., Oakland; phone Lakeside 712.

FLAT 4 rms. and bath, 1 block from K. R., $12. Berkeley 1631.

JUST like a cottage is that lower flat of 5 large sunny rooms at 322 21st st., for $24. Phone or call on J. S. Naismith, 18 Bacon Blk., for key

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NEW lower flat 5 rooms, laundry, basement, etc., sunny corner, No. 1 location, 5 minutes to S. P. or Key Route; cheap rent. Corner 24th av. and E. 19th st.; owner next door.

SUNNY cor. upper 6-room flat; near cars and Key Route; rent $20. Phone Lakeside 415 or Oak. 5337.

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8-ROOM mod. flat; yard, barn; $16 mo.; 2111 23d ave.; phone Oakland 6405.

FLATS TO LET—FURNISHED.

A MODERN 4-room furnished flat; very sunny; close in. 612 27th st.

A FURN. flat 6 rooms, $25; adults only. 557 Jones st.

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FURN. or unfurn. 4-rm. flat, bath, porch, garage, rabbit yard, pens. 3619 Market.

NICELY furn. 4-rm. flat; room for auto. Apply 1003 Campbell, West Oakland.

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HOUSES TO LET—UNFURNISHED.

A GOOD 7-rm. house, not modern but cheap; Portuguese dist. 1573 3rd st.; Piedmont 737-W.

A MOD., pleasant, 5-rm. cottage, $22; 1358 E. 24th st.; key 1356; 8th ave. car.

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BUNGALOWS; $16, $21-$30; flats cheap; also furn. places 5502 Tel.; Pied 3251.

EXCEPTIONALLY fine Pied. home, $35. Modern 5-room bungalows, $30 to $35. Home, garden and poultry yard, $17. Modern 2-room apartment, close in, $17 Mrs. Brown, 1455 Franklin; Lake 821.

HOUSES and bungalows, Melrose Hgts.; warm belt; good school and transportation; snap for sale. Ph. Fruit 41-J.

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NEAR BROADMOOR—½ block E. 14th st. car line; 5c fare; 5-room modern cottage; sleeping porch and garage; rent reasonable. Phone Oakland 7660 or 215 Stoakes av., San Leandro. Key at 189 Stoakes av.

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5-ROOM modern house; rent $--; reas. Key at 1732 Irving ave.

7-ROOM house on Oakland ave., Piedmont; or partly furn.; reas. Ala. 1367.

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HOUSES TO LET—UNFURNISHED Continued.

5-ROOM cottage; rent $20; high basement; large lot; modern conveniences; 337 Walsworth ave., 1 blk. from Oakland ave. car line; get off at Pearl st.; key on premises every day from 2 to 4. Phone Piedmont 6596-J.

$10—WATER FREE

5-room lower flat, newly painted. 1268 28th st., near Key Route trains. Phone Fruitvale 557-W.

10TH ST., 752—9-rm. house; gas, elec.; running water in every room; 5 min. Broadway.

$20; 7-RM. house, newly renovated; new plumbing to be installed; large barn and yard. 2455 E. 23d st.; Fruit. 1566J.

5-ROOM modern cottage. 829 36th st.; key 820 35th st.; $22.50, water free; high basement. Phone Piedmont 7581.

$23; 5-RM. bungalow; gas, elec.; adults; water paid. Call 11-5 p. m., 524 21st st.

HOUSES TO LET—FURNISHED.

A NEATLY furn. 3-rm. cottage on Lydia st.; gas, bath, yard; walking dist.; nr. S. P. and K. R. Key 827 Lydia, nr. West.

AA—5-ROOM modern cottage; S. P. and K. R.; adults. 1045 55th st.; Oak. 4801.

APT. in cottage; 2 rms., bath; furn.; garage; adults. 861 32d st.; apply in rear.

BEAUTIFUL bungalow to lease; 9 rooms; furnished, close in. Telephone Lakeside 1668.

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5807 LAWTON AV.—Furn. 5-room bungalow; rent reas; good loca. Pied. 2387J.

5-RM. furn. bung.; rent $25. 518 El Dorado st., nr. Moss ave.; take Pied. car.

5TH AVE, 1139—4-room furn. cottage with large barn; call 10-4.

HOUSES AND FLATS WANTED.

FURN. flat or bungalow, 3 to 5 rms.; mod.; garage; well located; not to exceed $30. Call rm. 626, St. Mark Hotel.

FAMILY 4 adults; want small furn. house or flat. Phone Lakeside 821.

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AUTOS, Etc.

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OAKLAND roadster; 4 good tires; in good running cond.; $150 cash. 1716 Telegraph ave.

OVERLAND roadster; elec. lights, starter; good mechanical condition; cheap. Phone Lakeside 940.

OVERLAND Light 6, 1917, perfect condition; extras; $750. Piedmont 7078-J.

OWNER drafted; must sell; touring or delivery Overland; good cond. 925 7th.

STRIPPED down Hudson car, 33-H. P., good cond. 4529 Grove; Pied. 570.

SAXON SIX 5-pass., 16 model, $500. 209 Sunnyside ave. Phone Pied. 6792-W.

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A 4-room house; new; a dandy; the lot 50x100; fruit trees, palm; near train and car service; $1800; $500 cash, bal. $15 per month.

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1917 LIGHT 6-cyl. touring car, perfect condition; must be sold. Box 11749, Tribune.

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$625; REO, 4-cyl., 1916, 5-pass.; good condition. 725 15th st.; Oakland 5198.

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AUTOS wanted for cash, regardless of condition; will call promptly; we sell used parts for all cars. Write, phone or call; open Sunday mornings. OAKLAND AUTO WRECKING CO., 1716 Broadway; phone Oakland 6503.

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FRANKLIN 1917 4-pass. roadster; will give part cash, part trade. Pollard & Son, 1438 Park st., Alameda.

WANT late auto in exchange for Upper Pied. home 7 rms and slp. pch.; flat loan $3000 can remain. Box 11567, Tribune.

WANTED—An air compressor; must be cheap for cash. 3247 E. 14th st.; Ftvle 444.

WANT to trade Richmond lot for Ford car; must be in good condition. Box 11568, Tribune.

WANT LIGHT TOURING CAR FOR CASH. OAK. 4023; FTVLE. 1454-J.

5-PASS. Ford wanted; cash. Phone Merritt 757.

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STILL OWE $1200 on $2500 lot, Lakeside dist.; will sell or trade equity for late model automobile. Box 11158, Trib.

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$1600—Bay-window cottage of 3 rooms and bath; large lot, 90x122½; 3 blocks from Fruitvale ave.; high elevation; terms $150 cash, balance $15 per month.

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$1350—COZY cottage 3 nice rooms, FURNISHED; fine oak dining table, chairs, bookcase, dresser, sewing machine, sanitary bed and mattress, dishes, etc.; large lot, 1 block to car; terms $500 cash, balance $15 per month. See Mr. Rudell, 3239 E. 14th st., Fruitvale.

$3250—BRAND NEW and strictly up-to-date bungalow of 5 large rooms; also garage; lot 50x125; No. 3033 35th ave.; terms $200 down, $25 per month. Owner, 3301 35th ave.

A 3-ROOM cottage on easy terms; price only $1000; lot 40x115. POLK & SMITH, 8652 E. 14th st., Oakland.

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Only $28 per ft., worth at least $40.
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A MAGNIFICENT new cement res., 351 Santa Clara av.; 2 blocks from Lakeview school; 9 rooms; strictly modern; large corner lot; double garage. Owner, 727 59th st. Phone Piedmont 4524W.

BARGAIN—For rent or sale, 8 rooms, all modern conveniences; must vacate at once account of war. Ph. Pied. 6897W; bargain.

BUNGALOW bargains, big lots nr. Tech. Hi., K. R., 40th, Teleg. Builder 495 Rich, Piedmont 6285W.

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I SACRIFICE $500; 5-rm. cottage; large lot, 50x275; fruit, berries, garage; Fruitvale; 20 min. from City Hall. Owner. 782 12th st.; phone Lakeside 3353.

MODERN bungalow, $3000; 450 Alcatraz ave.; owner leaving town; no reasonable offer refused. W. E. Logan, 19 Bacon Block.

INCOME property, sacrifice, $7500; mtg. $3000; income $100 mo. Pied. 5131.

OAKLAND: 6-rm. cottage, close in; lot alone worth $4000; suitable location store; price quick sale $3250; terms, $1750 cash; mortgage $1500. Owner, P. O. Box 285, Hayward, Cal.

SACRIFICE beautiful modern cement finish bungalow, 5 large rooms and glassed in sleeping porch, lot 40x110. gum finish; must be sold; $3250, terms $350 cash, balance $30 mo.; located 2232 Rosedale av. Owner, 270 28th st., Oak.

SACRIFICE—A modern 6-rm. and breakfast nook bungalow in Fruitvale; price $2750; $200 down, easy terms. Box 11488, Tribune.

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$2150

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5-ROOM bungalow, new, large garage. Melrose Heights; fine district; very reas.; make offer; terms. Harry Bechfold, 5032 Fairfax av.; Fruitvale 1400W.

4-ROOM cottage; lot 25x103; on Lorenzo st., near cars; $950, half cash. Particulars, 4016 Lyon ave.

9-ROOM house with 2 lots, furniture and lots, all for $4000, half cash; big snap. Address owner, P. O. 496, S. F.

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WANTED—A ranch; want a ranch worth $15,000 to $30,000; good stock, grain or fruit ranch; not over 100 miles from Oakland; have good improved and vacant property to exchange.
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4-ROOM cottage in Pueblo, Colorado, worth $1200; straight loan of $600 on it; 2½ years to run; will exchange equity for piano and furniture. Phone Piedmont 2253-J.

$1000 EQUITY 4-room mod. bungalow; garage; corner; 1 blk. to car; Dimond; for acreage or lot of same value. Owner, J. D., R. 1, Box 6, Walnut Creek, Cal.

40-ACRE improved ranch near town; irrigated; good buildings; mtge. $2800; will take clear house for equity. Box 11570, Tribune.

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LIQUIDATION IN STOCKS AGAIN

NEW YORK, Dec. 11. — Liquidation again overtook the stock market today, leaders breaking three to six points. Rails displayed general weakness on probability of federal control. Trading became very active in the final hour when the entire list recorded lowest prices. The closing was weak. Liberty 4s sold at 97.26 to 97.50 and the 3½s at 98.48 to 98.52. The following was the course of trading at different periods during the day:

FORENOON—After the first fifteen minutes the market tone became generally heavy. Pullman declined six points to 109 7-8. The tobacco issues were again in supply, American Tobacco dropping to 138½, followed by an upturn of two points.

Pennsylvania declined ½ to a new low record of 44. There was a decline of 1½ in Union Pacific and railroad issues generally suffered declines. The liberty 3½s sold down to 98.46 and the 4s to 97.26. Money loaned at 6 per cent.

AFTERNOON—The afternoon trading was marked by a generally heavy tone all through the list. American Tobacco broke ten points to 138½. Sears Roebuck showed a loss of five points with sales at 125, and Industrial Alcohol declined three points to 107. Canadian Pacific declined to 128½, a loss of over four points.

The industrials also showed a weak tone, United States Steel declining to 85¾, a new low record for the year, while Bethlehem "B" sold down over two points to 73.

CLOSING—The market closed weak; government bonds unchanged; railroad and others weak. The market was weak and unsettled in the final dealings. United States Steel common sold down from 87¾ to 85 1-8, a new low for the year, and Bethlehem Steel "B" fell three points to 72 1-4. American Tobacco at 139 3-8 was down nearly ten points. Rails were off from two to three points. Sales, 488,900 shares; bonds, $5,863,000.

CLOSING NEW YORK BID AND ASKED

The following quotations of prices of stocks and bonds on the New York Stock Exchange, New York Curb and Boston Stock Exchange are from E. F. Hutton & Co.'s private wire, members of the New York Stock Exchange, with offices at Fourteenth and San Pablo avenue, First National Bank building:

Sales.	Stocks.	High.	Low.	Bid.
	Arc Chemical	..	..	73
	Alaska Gold	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
	Atlantic Coast Line	..	..	81
	Allis Chalmers	17	16	15
	Allis Chalmers pfd	..	..	65
	Am Can Co	34	32	32
	Am Can Co pfd	..	..	89
	Am Car & Foundry	65	63½	63¼
	Am Car & Foundry pfd	..	..	102
	Am Beet Sugar	71	70⅞	70¼
	Alloy Steel	..	..	36
	Am Linseed	24¾	24¼	24⅛
	Am Linseed pfd	70¼	70	69
	Am Malt	..	..	10
	Am Malt pfd	53	52	51½
	Am Cotton Oil	24¾	23¾	23
	Associated Oil	..	..	56
	Am Hide & Leather	11⅞	11⅝	11½
	Am Hide & Leather pfd	52¼	51½	51¼
	Am Locomotive	50½	49	49
	Am Locomotive pfd	..	..	94
	Am Steel Foundry	55	54	53¼
	Am Smelter	72¾	69¾	70
	Am Smelter pfd	..	..	100¼
	Am Sugar	94½	94¼	93½
	Am W P pfd	22½	20	20
	Am Zinc	..	..	12
	Am Tobacco	141	139¾	141
	Anaconda	56¼	55	55¼
	Atchison	82½	80	79⅞
	Am Tel & Tel	103¼	101¼	101¼
	Butte & Superior	16¾	16¼	16
	Baldwin Locomotive	53¾	52¼	52¼
	Baltimore & Ohio	47	46¼	46¼
	Bethlehem Steel	..	..	72
	Bethlehem Steel "B"	73½	70	69¼
	B R T	52⅝	50	50
	Crucible Steel	87	85	87
	Crucible Steel pfd	..	..	..
	Continental Can	..	..	75
	Cal Petroleum	..	..	11
	Cal Petroleum pfd	35½	34¼	34
	Canadian Pacific	133	127½	127¾
	C & O	45¾	44½	44½
	Central Leather	62	60	60⅝
	Central Leather pfd	..	..	97¼
	Chino Copper	42	41¾	41⅝
	Chandler	..	..	62
	C & N W	..	..	90
	Colo Fuel & Iron	33	32½	32¼
	Chile Copper	14⅛	13¾	13¾
	Con Gas	..	..	82
	Corn Products	29⅛	27⅞	28½
	Corn Products pfd	..	..	89½
	Cuba Cane	27¼	26½	26¼
	Cuba Cane pfd	78	77¾	77¾
	Delaware & Hudson	95½	92¼	92½
	Denver & Rio Grande	..	..	5
	Denver & Rio Grande pfd	..	..	11½
	Distillers Securities	32½	29	29½
	Erie	14¾	14¼	14¼
	Erie 1st pfd	22	20⅝	20½
	Erie 2d pfd	..	..	15½
	Greene Cananea	..	..	26
	General Electric	123¼	122½	122½
	General Motor	86½	85	85¼
	Goodrich	36	35½	34
	Great Northern pfd	88¾	87½	87
	Great Northern Ore Ctfs	25¼	24¼	24½
	Gulf S Steel	..	..	84
	Int Nickel	26¼	25	25⅛
	Ind Alcohol	108½	105½	105¼
	Int Agr Corp	..	..	10
	Ice Securities	..	..	10
	Illinois Central	93	90¼	90
	Inspiration	41⅝	40½	41
	Int Harv N J	..	..	107½
	Int Harv Corp	..	..	52
	Interboro	..	..	6⅝
	Interboro pfd	43⅝	42	41½
	Internat Paper	23	22¼	22¼
	Kennecott	..	..	29½
	K C Southern	16¾	16¼	16
	K C Southern pfd	..	..	46
	Lackawanna Steel	79¾	77½	77¾
	Lee Tire	..	..	13
	Louisville & Nashville	112¾	108	107½
	Lehigh Valley	53¼	53	52¼
	Maxwell Motor	24	23¼	23¼
	Maxwell 1st pfd	53¼	52½	52½
	Maxwell 2d pfd	19½	19	18½
	Midvale Steel	43¼	42¼	42¼
	Miami Copper	27	26½	26½
	M St P & S S M	80	79	78
	M K & Texas	..	..	4½
	M K & Texas pfd	..	..	7
	Missouri Pacific	23⅛	22	21¾
	Mexican Petroleum	75	73¼	73½
	Mexican Petroleum pfd	..	..	87
	Marine	21½	20¼	20¼
	Marine pfd	92¼	90½	91⅛
	National Lead	42⅞	42⅛	42
	National Biscuit	..	..	90
	National Enamel	35	34	33
	Nevada Con	18⅛	17¾	17¾
	N Y Air Brake	102	101	100¼
	N Y Central	68¼	64⅞	64⅞
	New Haven	28¾	28¼	28¼
	Norfolk & W	101½	99	99
	North American	..	..	45
	Northern Pacific	84	82¼	82
	Ohio Gas	34	33½	33½
	Ontario & W	19¾	19¾	18
	Pullman	115	109¾	110¼
	Pacific Mail	26¼	25⅞	24½
	Penn R R Co	44⅞	43⅞	43⅞

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STOCK-BOND EXCHANGE

	Bid.	Ask.
BONDS.		
S F Seawall 4s	4.20	....
Highways 4s	4.50	4.40
S F Harbor Imp 4s	..	4.10
S P Municipal 3½s	..	4.50
UNITED STATES BONDS.		
U S 4s Coupon, new	105¾	..
U S 3½s (1917)	98¼	..
U S Liberty 4s	97⅛	97¼
MISCELLANEOUS BONDS.		
	Bid.	Ask.
Associated Oil Co 5s	..	100
Bay Counties Power Co 5s	99½	..
Cal Cent Gas and Elec 5s	100	..
Cal Gas and Elec M & C T 5s	..	100
Cal Gas and Elec Unif 5s	91¾	92
Cal St Cable Co Serial 5s	100	..
Cal Tel and Lt 6s	..	99½
Cal Wine Assn 5s	91	..
Central Cal Traction Co 5s	..	..
City Electric 5s	..	82
City Investment Co 5s	..	93¾
Coast Counties L and P 5s	..	91¾
Economies Gas 5s	..	80
Edison Light and Power 6s	..	104
First Nat Trust Co S F	100	..
General Petroleum Corp 6s	98¾	..
General Pipe Line 6s	95	..
Gt West Power Co 5s	73¾	..
Home R T of Spokane 5s	..	87
Honolulu R T and L Co 5s	..	..
Lake Tahoe R and T 5s	..	..
Los Angeles Elec 5s	99¾	..
L A Gas and Elec 6s	91¾	92
L A Lighting Gtd 5s	..	..
L A Railway 5s	80¼	..
L A Railway Corp	..	..
L A Pacific Ry 5s	..	84
L A Pac R R 1st Con Mtg 5s	..	83
Market St Ry Con 5s	83	87
Natomas Co of Cal 6s	72¾	74
Northern Cal Railway	95¾	..
Northern Ry of Cal 5s	100	..
Northern Cal Power Co 5s	..	93
Northern Cal Power Con 5s	..	75
Oakland Transit Co 6s	..	81½
Oakland Transit 1st Con 5s	..	80
Oakland Transit Con 5s	..	85
Oakland Traction Con 5s	30	40
Oakland Traction 5s	..	40
Omnibus Cable Ry 6s	89	92
Orpheum T and R 6s	95	..
Pac Gas Imp 4s	..	..
Pac Gas and Elec 5s	..	81½
Pacific Elec Ry	..	80¼
Pac Light and Power Co 5s	86	89¾
Pac Light and Power 1st M	..	95
Pac Tel and Tel Co 5s	91	..
Sac Elec Gas and Ry 5s	99¾	..
S F Oakland and S J 5s	..	74
S F Oakland and S J 2d M	..	47
San Joaquin L and P 5s	..	98
San Joaquin L and P S A 5s	98½	100
S J and S Clara	..	75
Sierra Ry of Cal 6s	..	87½
S P of Cal 1st Gtd 5s	98	104
S P Branch Ry of Cal	..	..
S P Co 1st ref 4s	..	76¾
S P conv 4s	81¾	82¼
S P con 5s 1937	87	..
S P Co S P Col 4s	..	82½
S P Co S F Term	..	77
S V Water Co Gen Mtg 4s	90½	91¼
Union Oil of Cal 5s	..	90½
United Gas and Elec 5s	..	100¼
United R R of S F	..	30
Valley Counties Power Co 5s	100	..
West Pac 1st Mtg 5s	79¾	..
WATER STOCKS.		
Spring Valley Water	58	59
INSURANCE STOCKS.		
Firemen's Fund	..	370
GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS.		
Northern Cal Power com	15	..
Northwestern Elec pfd	..	..
Northwestern Elec com	14¾	..
Oro Elec Co. com	..	..
Oro Elec Co pfd	15¾	..
Pac Gas and Elec 1st pfd	80¾	..
Pac Gas and Elec com	32	33½
Pac Lighting Corp pfd	..	..
Pac Lighting Corp com	115½	..
San Joaquin L and P pfd	..	..
San Joaquin L and P com	..	7½
Western Power pfd	..	49
Western Power com	..	11½
BANK STOCKS.		
American National Bank	..	135
Anglo Cal Trust Co.	..	116
Anglo and L P Nat Bank	153	155¼
Bank of Cal N A	185	186½
Mercantile Nat Bank	220	..
First Nat Bank of S F	..	..
Savings Union Bank and Trust Co.	..	268
Union Trust Co.	2000	..
SAVINGS BANKS.		
Humboldt Nat Bank	100	105
Mutual Savings Bank ($20 paid)	..	..
Security Savings Bank	325	..
SUGAR STOCKS.		
Hawaiian Com and Sugar	..	43½
Hawaiian Sugar Co.	31¾	..
Honokaa Sugar Co.	5	..
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	20	..
Kilauea Sugar Plantation	..	..
Oahu Sugar Co.	27½	..
Olaa Sugar Co.	5	..
Onomea Sugar Co.	46¾	50½
Paauhau S P Co.	..	19
Pioneer Mill Co.	27	30
Union Sugar Co.	34	..
OIL STOCKS.		
Amalgamated Oil Co.	..	..
Associated Oil Co.	55½	..
Cal Petroleum pfd	36½	..
General Petroleum pfd	91¼	95
General Petroleum com	82½	82¾
Pacific Crude Oil	1c	..
Pan-American P and T pfd	88½	..
Pan-American P and T com	46	..
Panol Dome Oil	..	..
Sterling Oil Dev	..	1¾
Union Oil of Cal	..	..
West Coast Oil pfd	..	85
MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.		
Alaska Packers Assn	..	208
Cal Packers pfd	102¾	..
Cal Packers com	34½	34¾
Cal St Cable R R	..	..
Cal Wine Assn pfd	..	78¼
do common	53¾	54½
Dupont Powder com	240	..
Hunt Bros. Co. pfd	..	..
Judson Mfg. Co.	60	70
Natomas Co of Cal pfd	16¼	17¼
Pacific Auto Supply	..	..
Pacific T and T pfd	..	..
Weed Lumber Co.	91	..
Philippines T and T Corp	10¾	..

SALES TODAY.

1000 3½s Liberty Loan (1917) 98¼
1000 4s Liberty Loan (1917) 97¼
25000 4s Liberty Loan (1917) 97⅛
6000 Gt Western Power Co 5s 74
1000 Pac Tel and Tel Gtd 5s 91¼
100 Spring Valley Water Co 58
25 Northwestern Elec com 15
15 Hutchinson Sugar Plantation 20½
25 Hutchinson Sugar Plantation 20¾
25 Hutchinson Sugar Plantation 20⅛
35 Hutchinson Sugar Plantation 20
10 Union Sugar Co. 34½
140 General Petroleum com 82¼
50 Cal Pack Corp com 84¼
50 Cal Pack Corp pfd 94½
50 Cal Wine Assn com 54
14 Natomas Co of Cal pfd 16½

STREET SALES.

100 Honolulu Con Oil 4.75
400 Honolulu Con Oil 4.70

UNLISTED SALES.

200 Honolulu Con Oil 4.70
700 Honolulu Con Oil 4.72½
300 Poulsen Wireless 10¾

S.F. STOCK EXCHANGE
OIL — MINING.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

CALIFORNIA.	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Cent Eureka	03	..			
NEVADA. Comstocks.					
Alpha	..	..	03 Justice	..	01
Alta	..	..	05 Kentucky Con	..	05
Andes	08	09	Mexican	09	10
Best & Bel	02	03	Occidental	60	..
Bullion	01	03	Ophir	08	09
Chollar	..	..	Overman	..	..
Challenge	04	..	Potosi	..	06
Chollar	..	06	Savage	03	05
Confidence	..	11	S Belcher	01	03
Con Imperial	..	03	Scorpion	..	01
Con Virginia	13	15	Sierra Nev	18	19
Gould & C	..	03	Silver Hill	04	..
Hale & Nor	02	04	Union Con	1.02½	1.05
Jacket	08	09	Utah	..	01
Julia Con	..	02			
Tonopah District.					
Belmont	8.50	..	Montana	07	09
Casa B Con	03	04	North Star	..	05
G Queen	..	01	Rescue E	08	09
G West Con	03	04	Ton Div	13	14
Halifax	..	12	Ton Ex	98	1.00
J Butler	75	..	Ton of Nev	4.50	..
McNamara	15	16	Tonopah 76	..	03
Mid Con	05	07	Umatilla	..	01
Mizpah Con	03	05	West End	08	10
Mon Pitts	05	06	West Tono	09	10
Manhattan District.					
Dexter Union	02	04	Mom Glory	11	12
Gold Wedge	..	01	Mustang	01	02
Man Carson	..	01	Union Amal	05	06
Man B Four	..	06	do Exten	01	02
Man Con	12	13	W Caps	65	66
Man Dexter	01	02	do Exten	09	..
Man R T Re	02	03	Yankee Boy	..	10
Goldfield District.					
Atlanta	08	09	Grandma	..	01
Blue Bell	..	01	Gt Bend	03	04
K Bull Reor	01	02	Jumbo Ex	13	15
Booth Reor	03	04	Jumbo Jr	01	02
C O D	01	02	Kewanas	03	05
Columbia Mt	..	01	Red H Flor	..	01
Comb Frac	01	02	Simmerone	01	02
Crackerj Re	..	01	Sandstorm K	..	01
Diam B B Re	..	01	Silver P Con	05	06
Florence	09	..	Spearhd G	03	04
Goldf Con	38	39	Yellow Tiger	..	91
Goldf Merg	03	04			
ARIZONA. Oatman District					
Argo	02	..	Nellie	03	05
Gold Ore	03	..	United East	3.70	..
Gold B Bon	03	05	United West	01	02
Other Districts.					
Arps Cop	..	30	Rochester	36	40
Nenzel C P	05	07	Rochester Mer	..	04
Nev Hills	05	07	Round Mt	20	23
Nev Packard	..	20	Yerington	10	11

SALES TODAY.

2000 Cash B Con 04
2000 J Butler 74
7000 McNamara 15
1000 McNamara 16
10000 Mid Con 05
5000 Mid Con 06
2000 Mon Pitts 04
8000 Mon Pitts 05
2100 West End 09
1000 Atlanta 08
100 Goldf Con M 37
760 Goldf Con M 38
1000 Goldf M M 03
200 Andes 08
100 Caledonia 06
300 Con Virginia 10
100 Con Virginia 11
200 Con Virginia 18
5000 Sil Pick Con 05
3500 Spearhd G 03
6500 Manhat Con 12
4000 Morn Glory 07
9000 Morn Glory 11
2000 Morn Glory 12
100 Union Con 1.00
200 Union Con 1.02½
100 Union Con 1.05
100 Union Con 1.07½

OILS.

Caribou	1.50	MJ & M&M	.39
Claremont	1.45	New Pa	.15
Coal C	.10	Peerless	7.00
Coal M	..	80 Premier	.15
Mar. 36	..	1.25 Palmer U	.06
Mascot	..	1.30 Palmer U pf	.13
Oil City Pet	.03	Reed	.01
Petrol	..	1.50 Seg Belcher	.02
Pittsburg	..	Sierra Nev	.15
Rainbow	..	Sierra Nev	.16
Red Top	..	Sierra Nev	.17
Reed	..	Sierra Nev	.18
Seg Belcher	..	Sierra Nev	.19
Sil Pick Con	..	Union Con	..
Silver King C	..	Union Con	.90
Tonopah Ext	..	Wedge	..
Tonopah Min	..	West End	..
Tun Hill	..	Yankee B	..
100 Claremont	1.50		

Chicago Grain Exchange

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Corn prices hardened a little today, influenced by reports that but little actual relief from car scarcity had yet been witnessed. The market was virtually bare of offerings. Opening prices, which ranged from the same as yesterday's finish to ¼c off with January $1.20¾ and May $1.18¾@1.18⅞, were followed by a slight advance all around.

Scantiness of arrivals gave firmness to oats.

Provisions developed strength in some parts with grain.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, nominal; No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, $1.52@1.60.

Rye—No. 2, $1.34. Barley, $1.25@1.53. Timothy, $5.00@7.50. Clover, $20@26.

The close:

Corn—Jan., $1.21¼; May, $1.19⅜.
Oats—Dec., 73¾c; May, 71¾c.
Pork—Jan., $46.90.
Lard—Jan., $24.62; May, $24.65.
Ribs—Jan., $25.02; May, $25.15.

The close was firm, ⅝@⅞c net higher, with January $1.21¼ and May $1.19⅜@1.19½.

Bank Clearings

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—The bank clearings for today are $16,211,326.56.

Grain and Provisions

Option.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
CORN—PER BUSHEL.				
December	1.22	1.24½	1.21½	1.24½
May	1.18¾	1.19½	1.18¾	1.19½
January	1.20¾	1.21⅜	1.20⅝	1.21¼
OATS—PER BUSHEL.				
December	.72½	.74¼	.72½	.73¾
May	.70½	.71¾	.70⅜	.71½
PORK—PER BARREL.				
January	46.60	47.00	46.50	46.90
LARD—PER 100 LBS.				
January	24.75	24.75	24.42	24.62
SHORT RIBS—PER 100 LBS.				
January	25.10	25.15	24.77	25.02

The Weather

Weather forecast to 5 p. m. Wednesday.

Oakland and vicinity: Fair, light northerly winds.

Santa Clara, Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys: Fair, heavy to killing frost in the morning; light northerly winds.

Southern California: Fair, heavy to killing frost in the interior in the morning, light northerly winds.

Northern California: Fair, heavy to killing frost in the interior in the morning; light northerly winds.

Nevada: Fair, warmer north portion tonight.

Idaho: Probably rain or snow.

Washington: Rain west portion; rain or snow east portion, moderate southwesterly winds.

Oregon: Probably rain west portion; probably rain or snow east portion, moderate westerly winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

A moderate depression overlies British Columbia, moving slowly southeastward, causing cloudy weather over the North Pacific states, with rain in western Washington. An area of high pressure covers Oregon and the central Plateau region, giving fair or cold weather in the southern portion of the Pacific slope, with heavy to killing frost in the interior of California. In the central and eastern portions of the country, the weather is generally fair and cold. It is warmer in the northern Plains states and colder in Nevada and Utah.

Conditions are favorable for rain or snow in the north Pacific states and fair in the south with heavy to killing frosts in the interior of California in the morning.

G. H. WILLSON, Forecaster.

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Peoples Gas	37½	36½	33
Pressed Steel Car	51	50	49½
Pressed Steel Car pfd	..	..	93
Ray Con	22½	21⅞	21¾
Railway Steel Spring	43	41	..
Reading	68½	65½	66¼
Republic I & S	74⅞	72¼	72¼
Republic I & S pfd	..	..	93½
Rock Island	18	17¾	17¾
Sears	130	129¼	124
Seaboard	..	..	8½
Seaboard pfd	..	..	18½
Sloss Sheffield	..	..	55
St L & S F	14¼	13½	13
Southern Pacific	81⅞	79¾	79½
Southern Railway	24⅛	23	23⅛
Southern Railway pfd	66	64⅞	64½
St Paul	38⅞	36¼	36½
Studebaker	42¾	41	41
Shattuck, Ariz	..	..	17¾
Sinclair	28½	27¾	27⅞
Third Avenue	..	..	15
Tennessee Copper	..	..	12¾
Texas Oil	153¾	152¼	152½
Tobacco Products	45¼	45½	45¼
Union Bag	..	..	60
Union Pacific	110	107⅜	107¼
United R R of S F	..	..	54
United R R of S F pfd	..	..	13½
U S Cast Iron Pipe	..	..	10½
U S Cast Iron Pipe pfd	..	..	44¾
U S Stores	83	82¾	83
U S Rubber	50	48¼	48¼
U S Rubber 1st pfd	..	..	65
U S Smelting	..	..	43
United Fruit	116	115	115
U S Steel	87¾	85	85¾
U S Steel pfd	109¾	108¾	108¾
Utah Copper	78	76¼	77
Va Chemical	32¼	32¼	32
Va Chemical pfd	..	..	98¼
Wabash	8	7¾	7¾
Wabash A pfd	39¾	38¼	38¼
Wabash B pfd	19¼	19¼	19¼
Wells Fargo	..	..	71
Western Union	78½	76⅞	77
Westinghouse	37½	36½	36½
Willys Overland	18½	17¼	17¼
Wilson Packing	44¼	43¼	43
Wool	..	..	40
Wool pfd	..	..	88½
West Maryland	..	..	12½
Woolworth	105	104¾	104¾

Total sales stocks, 488,900 shares.

Money—High, 6 per cent; low, 5 per cent; closing bid, 5½ per cent.

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MARKET COMMENT

A rise of 15 cents per box, F. O. B., for oranges delivered to the wholesale markets this morning caused a decided increase in all grades of citrus fruits. This was due to the failure of the crop in the "Northern California citrus belt," the lands above Porterville and Lindsay, where crops fell far short of expectations.

Arrivals of tangerines also marked this morning's market in citrus goods.

Increasing demand in poultry was responsible for a rise in various grades this morning with lively sales in anticipation of tomorrow's market day trade. Vegetables and produce saw fluctuations with decline of new goods or shifting of supply in goods "going out" with the winter.

Arrivals in river potatoes were heavy.

Citrus fruit—Oranges: Late Valencias, Sunkist, $3.75@4 per box; fancy, $3.50@3.75; choice, $3@3.25; Navels, Sunkist, $4.25; choice, $3@3.25; others, $2@3; lemons, Sunkist, $3.50@4 per box; fancy, $3@3.25; choice, $2.50@2.75; limes, $1.75@2 half boxes.

Lemons—Sunkist, $6@6.50, fancy, $5.50@6; choice, $5.25@5.75; lemonettes, $2.50@3.

Tropical fruits—Central American and New Orleans bananas, 5@5½c per lb; Honolulu, 5@6c per lb; cocoanuts, $1.20 per dozen; sack, $4.75; pineapples, $2@4 per dozen, according to size.

Apples—Oregon, Spitzenbergs, extra fancy, $2.25; fancy, $2; choice, $1.75; Oregon Utahs, choice, $1.65; Jonathans, $1.65@1.85; Newtown Pippins, Cal., 3½tier, $1.35@1.50; 4tier, $1.25; choice, $1.15; 4½tier, $1@1.10; Permains, $1.15@1.25; 4½tier, $1@1.10; red varieties, $1.15@1.85; 4½tier, $1@1.25.

Persimmons—Small boxes, $1.15@1.25.

Pomegranates—$1.75@2 half orange box.

Grapes—Crates, $1@1.25; lugs, $1@1.75.

Cranberries—Bbls, $17.50@18; Cape Cods, 50-lb boxes, $8.50@9; Oregon and Washington, 1-3 bbl boxes, $5@6.

Raspberries—Local, $3@3 a chest.

Strawberries—Local, $9@12.

Pears—Bartletts, packed, $2@2.25; other kind, in lugs, 75c@$1; Winter Nellis, $1@1.50 lug.

Casabas—50c@$1 per crate; Honeydews, in crates, $1.25@1.50 per crate of nine.

Potatoes—Alameda County potatoes, nominal; No. 1 Rivers, sack, $2@2.25; No. 2 Rivers, $1@1.25 sack; Nevadas, $2@2.25 cental; Idahos, $1.75@2.25 per sack.

Sweet potatoes—2½@3c per lb.

Onions—locals, $1.75@2.25.

New garlic—5@6c a lb.

Tomatoes—San Leandro, 60c@$1; Lafayettes, 60c@$1.25; green, 50@50c a lug.

Artichokes—30@60c, according to size.

Lettuce—Alameda County, $1@1.15 crate.

Celery—Local, 20@30c per dozen; $2.25@2.50 per crate (Milpitas).

Cucumbers—Santa Cruz, hothouse, 2½ dozen to box, $2.25; English hothouse, $1 dozen; Southern, $1.50@1.75.

Pumpkins—Nominal.

Hubbard squash—1¼@1½c per lb; cream squash, $1 per lug.

Marrowfat squash—50@75c a sack; 1½@2c lb.

Eggplant—Southern, 6@10c.

Rhubarb—Box, 50c@$1.

Cauliflower—90c@$1.

Cabbage—90c@$1 a dozen.

Brussels sprouts—5@7c a lb.

Lima beans—10@12½c.

Green beans—10@12½c.

Carrots—$2.25@2.50 a sack; 25@30c dozen.

Turnips—$1.25@1.75; 25@30c a dozen.

Beets, carrots, onions—25@30c dozen bunches.

Radishes—15c a dozen.

Bell peppers—Southern 10@12c.

Poultry—Large colored hens, 28@29c; medium colored, 27@28c; Leghorns, 27@28c; broilers, 1½ lb and less, 35@40c; fryers, 28@30c; young roosters, 3 lbs or over, 27@28c; stags, 22@25c.

Squabs—$3@3.25 dozen; pigeons, $1@1.50.

Ducks—18@20c per lb.

Wild ducks—Mallards, $9@10 dozen; Sprigs, $7@8; Widgeons, $4@4.50; Spoonbills, $3.

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JUDGE CURTIS WILBUR TO SUCCEED HENSHAW

CARNAHAN, WITH EYE ON GOVERNORSHIP, AND SHAW ARE PASSED BY

Judge Curtis D. Wilbur of the Superior Court of Los Angeles county is the man whom Governor William D. Stephens has decided to appoint to succeed on the State Supreme Court bench, Associate Justice Fred W. Henshaw, resigned. Governor Stephens made this announcement in Los Angeles today.

In view of the fact that in Judge Lucien Shaw and H. L. Carnahan, state commissioner of corporations, had both been mentioned for the position, and Judge Wilbur had not, the appointment comes as considerable of a surprise. The reason for not naming Shaw is unknown. Carnahan has been prominently mentioned in Southern California, it is said, as a candidate for governor.

Supervisorial appointments for Placer, Los Angeles and other counties were announced by the governor, but not for Alameda county. His selection for a successor to former Supervisor Joseph M. Kelley here is, however, expected to be made in the near future.

Justice Henshaw's resignation is to be effective January 1, and the formal appointment of Judge Wilbur will be made before that time. The governor also announced today that he would name Dana R. Weller, a Los Angeles attorney, to the judgeship which Judge Wilbur will vacate.

Judge Wilbur is a graduate of Annapolis Naval Academy. He resigned from the navy on his graduation and came to California. After a period of school teaching and law study combined, he was admitted to the bar and practiced his profession for thirteen years until, in 1903, he was elected to the superior court judgeship, and has held it ever since. He was returned by the largest majority on the Republican ticket to his position two years ago. He has been in charge of the juvenile court during his incumbency.

It is expected that Governor Stephens will come to Oakland to look over the local situation before naming a successor to Supervisor Kelley. Frank H. Bartlett, former mayor of Alameda, was today added to the list of eligibles for the place, which includes already the following:

W. J. Harrington, Frank Smith of Alameda, H. T. Hemstead, Mayor Green Majors, J. Sherman MacDowell, Constable Al Kihn, A. J. Merle, S. J. Donahue, J. H. Helmstein and William Hammond.

The Alameda Improvement Club has sent a telegram to the governor at Los Angeles asking that he appoint a resident of Alameda to the vacancy. The supervisorial appointments the governor announced today were E. J. Delorey in Los Angeles county and Charles Keena in Placer county. The former succeeds Richard H. Norton, automatically removed by conviction of mismanagement of county funds, and George W. Collins, deceased.

LAVIN LAST "POLITICIAN" AT INFIRMARY

The quiet dismissal by the Board of Supervisors yesterday of Thomas Lavin, superintendent of the farm department at the county infirmary, on the recommendation of the County Institutions Commission, marks the practical close of a steady and unostentatious campaign on the part of the commission which has resulted in the gradual elimination from the salary roll of five "political" employees of the infirmary. Since their appointment a few months ago, the members of the commission have been working unremittingly toward this end as a part of the general policy of effecting the strictest efficiency and economy in the conduct of the county institutions.

As each of the five were dropped or allowed to resign, the action was taken so unobtrusively that the public was scarcely conscious that any particular significance was attached. The first to go was Dan Juarez, who held the position of ambulance driver. He was followed a little later by Frank Behrmann, a bookkeeper. These were both "political" employees, and they were replaced by employees subject at call to a civil service examination.

Then came the dismissal of Ike Bottomley, an inmate who was known as "the dining room boss" of the hospital. Bottomley was at one time a political power in both Alameda and Contra Costa counties. He at one time conducted a roadhouse on College avenue at Hudson street, when that portion of the city was in the open country. Later he had another resort in Redwood Canyon, where the Canyon station of the Oakland, Antioch & Eastern is now located. He met with business reverses, and finally became an inmate of the infirmary.

The resignation of Ward Nurse McCarthy, who was a painter in the West Oakland yards before his appointment to a hospital position, was the next item in the list, and finally came the dismissal of Thomas Lavin.

Lavin was nearly as great a storm center as was James J. Dignan, the storekeeper at the infirmary, who was threatened for a time with loss of his position. He came out of the struggle with a reduction in the compensation received.

The books of the storekeeper are now being experted under the direction of the grand jury for the purpose of ascertaining what economies can be effected by changes in methods of buying and in other ways.

FIRE LOSS UNPAID CUTS SALARY ROLL

Hopes of the Alameda County Exposition that shortage of funds in their allowance for the current fiscal year would be made good by the award of compensation for the losses suffered in the fire which destroyed the pavilion on the State Fair grounds in Sacramento in September, 1916, went glimmering today when the Third District Court of Appeals decided that the appropriation of $30,000 made by the last biennial session of the State Legislature for this purpose is unconstitutional.

The court denied specifically the petition of Alameda county for a writ of mandamus to compel John S. Chambers, state comptroller, to pay $4,603.96 for the damages sustained by this county in the fire. The Attorney General ruled that the appropriation was in the nature of a gift and therefore unconstitutional, and the court upheld this ruling.

DEFICIT REMAINS.

As the result of this decision the three paid employees of the commission—Edwin Stearns, George Crowl and George Shade—who are working for this month at a substantial cut in their salaries, will not have the deficit made up, and there is a possibility that they will have to work for the remaining six months of the fiscal year at reduced salaries or else take a "vacation" for a part of the time.

The law provides that 70 per cent of the advertising fund can be used during the first six months of the fiscal year. About two months ago it became evident that the demands on the fund has nearly exhausted it, and that there was not enough of the 70 per cent remaining to pay full salaries to all. On the recommendation of the commission, the Board of Supervisors dismissed Dan Callaghan, leaving three paid employees.

WORK AT REDUCTION.

These three were called into consultation a few weeks ago, and the situation was fully explained to them by the supervisors. They agreed to work for the month of December at a reduction of about forty per cent in their salaries, with the hope that the damage compensations from the State would fill the depleted fund.

Now the $4603.96 counted on will not come into the coffers, and the only additional revenue to be expected will be the small dribbles from the payment of delinquent taxes.

Y. W. C. A. NOT SPONSOR FOR CAMP DANCE

The report sent out from Seattle that a dance pavilion under the supervision of the Y. W. C. A. was to be established at Camp Lewis and was to employ 3000 girl dancers as partners for the soldiers who wished to visit the place has brought a storm of protest and denial from the officers of the association and an official denial on the part of Commander Irons, who is in charge of Camp Lewis.

General Irons states positively that no such concession has been granted at or near Camp Lewis. Similar denials have come from Miss Constance Clark, in charge of the hostess house at Camp Lewis; Miss Ruth Southwick, executive of the Pacific Coast War Council of the Y. W. C. A., and from Miss Eva Powell, president of the Oakland Y. W. C. A.

The report originated in Seattle, as a result, it has been learned, of a group of influential people of that city, anxious to provide normal and attractive entertainment for the soldiers at the camp, proposing the erection of a dance pavilion and the employment of a number of young women as dancing partners for the boys, and that they had asked that the place be directly supervised by the Young Women's Christian Association to assure that it would be conducted in a proper manner. This plan was announced before the Y. W. C. A. had been approached in the matter.

HAVE PLENTY OF WORK.

The Y. W. C. A. hostess houses at the army camps have their hands full in attending to their legitimate activities, according to the leaders in the organization, without going outside the work already in hand. This work consists in providing a welcome house for the relatives of soldiers who visit the camp, a place in which mothers and sisters and wives of the men can feel at home while waiting for the soldiers to be given their liberty, an agency to aid in finding the men and in performing all sorts of kindly services that keep the men in touch with the influences of home.

It is for this humanitarian work that the drive for funds has been in progress. The Y. W. C. A. is under the supervision of the war department in this work and the use of the funds for the objects set forth is assured by this and by the pledge of the organization. In this work the organization is finding it hard to get enough money to meet all the necessities and perform this patriotic service adequately.

NO DANCE CONCESSION.

In connection with the report that the Y. W. C. A. was to supervise a dance pavilion and the conduct of 3000 girl partners for the men, Miss Clark, in charge of the hostess house at Camp Lewis, sent the following telegram to Miss Southwick, executive of the Pacific Coast War Council:

"Commander Irons denies that any such concession has been granted on amusement zone. War council looking matter up with papers."

"In regard to the article referring to dances at Camp Lewis, I wish to state that they are not under the direction of the Young Women's Christian Association," said President Eva Powell of the Oakland association. "We have nothing at all to do with any such activities."

"We find it hard enough to get women qualified to act as secretaries at the hostess houses without trying to get 3000 girls to act as dancing partners," said Mrs. Wallace Alexander, one of the local leaders in the association work.

The United Press which last week carried the story concerning the plan to have a dance pavilion and dancing girl partners for the soldiers under the supervision of the Y. W. C. A. at Camp Lewis, today requested publication of the following despatch from Seattle:

SEATTLE, Dec. 11.—There will be no dancing girls at Camp Lewis to entertain the soldiers encamped there. Miss Jane M. Scott, executive secretary of the Y. W. C. A. in Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Montana, today denied that the Y. W. C. A. had ever considered helping regulate a dance hall in the amusement zone of the camp.

"No proposal has been made to the Y. W. C. A. officials in this regard," she declared. "And if it had been, it would have been rejected. I have it on the highest authority that there will be no dance hall concession granted at Camp Lewis, although this organization never opposed one. We simply would not permit our organization to be used by private dance hall proprietors."

The publication here of the dance hall story has stirred ministers and others who, with the Y. W. C. A. and other organizations, have been cooperating with Major-General Greene in his efforts to suppress vice here as well as at Camp Lewis. Preachers charge that the latest dance hall story was started by persons seeking to discredit the work of the Y. W. C. A. and similar organizations in the vice campaign.

CARL BEALS SURRENDERS AS DESERTER

Carl Beals, 1531 Phoenix street, Berkeley, conscientious draft objector, accompanied by his mother Mrs. Elvina Beals, former member of the Berkeley Board of Education, surrendered himself to Chief Deputy Marshal George H. Burnham this morning on a bench warrant issued for his arrest by Circuit Judge William H. Hunt, charging him with being a deserter. Young Beals was turned over to the military authorities and taken to Alcatraz Island where he will be given the alternative of proceeding to American Lake or standing trial by court martial.

According to Mrs. Beals her son who is a graduate of Columbia University, registered in New York city and upon coming to Berkeley was transferred to local exemption board number two. He indicated his willingness to enlist in a non-combatant branch of the service, which was refused. It was then learned he had been certified as a deserter from New York.

What is doing TO-NIGHT.

Civil Service Board meets, City Hall.
Merchants' Exchange meets.
Allendale Central Imp. Club meets, Mutual Hall.
Fraternal Brotherhood No. 123 gives dance.
Calanthe Temple dance.
Unity Chapter No. 65, O. E. S., installs officers, Alcatraz Masonic Hall.
A. H. Naftzger speaks, Council Chambers, City Hall, Berkeley.
Harold Bauer gives concert, Auditorium theater.
Christmas sale for benefit of the Church of the Universal Christ, Hotel Oakland.
Orpheum—Emily Ann Wellman in Young Mrs. Stanford.
Pantages—Aurora and her equestrian lion.
Bishop—O'Brien of the Northwest Mounted.
Columbia—Jim Post.
Hippodrome—The Barrier.
T. & D.—Jack Pickford in Jack and Jill.
American—Dustin Farnum in The Scarlet Timparnell.
Kinema—Mae Marsh in Sunshine Alley.
Franklin—Alma Reubens in Regenerates.
Lake Merritt—Boating.

What is doing TO-MORROW.

Art Exhibit, Auditorium.
Brooklyn Parlor, N. D. G. W., hold turkey whist party, evening.
Pythian Sisters hold bazaar, Pythian Castle.
Thomas Brooks Fletcher speaks, Chamber of Commerce luncheon.
[illegible] evening.
Oakland Rebekahs hold bazaar, Odd Fellows Hall.

'JUST IN THE NICK OF TIME, JOE!! WAS 'PLUMB' BROKE'

"Taxes and sickness just about laid out my pocketbook silly. No money for gifts or even decent Christmas clothes. Then I read CHERRY'S ad—it sounded too good to be true. I hot-footed it there and found that reliable fellows with good references could select anything in stock without paying a cent down. You don't make the first payment until after Christmas. Believe me, I outfitted myself in a hurry. Go there and look around for yourself." Men's Store, 523 13th St.; Women's Store, 515 13th.—Advertisement.

GIFT OF FIREMEN

Fifteen members of the Oakland fire department, who have joined the colors and who are stationed in the different cantonments, have been remembered by their former associates with good sized postal orders from a fund contributed to by the men who stayed behind. The orders have already been sent and the receipt of post cards in return have indicated the appreciation of the soldiers and sailors.

The men remembered are: W. A. Pullen, Joseph F. O'Neill, A. E. Miller, A. W. Rittig, F. C. Kispert, Thomas J. McCoy, A. Delerio, John D. Keane, George W. Hoffman, Leo J. Lyman, V. P. O'Connor, Don C. Houghton, O. R. Hermann, H. A. Wieben, J. A. Merrick.

NO REDWOOD PLAN

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The chief of engineers, War Department, today reported to Congress against additional improvement by the United States "at this time" of the Redwood City (Cal.) harbor.

IS INCORPORATED

The Western Electric Mechanical Company has been incorporated by Walter J. Burpee, W. H. Ellison and George J. Helm of the district attorney's office, to deal in and manufacture electrical appliances. Burpee, attorney for the company, explained that the directors are merely representative of the owners, who have for some time been doing business as a partnership at 465 Second street.

GETS PROBATION

Ernest Wingrove, former sailor in the Navy, who turned highwayman on September 22 and held up a number of people in the vicinity of Lake Merritt with an empty revolver, was today placed on eight years' probation.

There Will Be a Merry Christmas
Where There Is a
PIANOLA PIANO

Christmas time does not seem complete without music in the home. The old folks, the young folks and even the children will all be able to play wonderful piano music. With word rolls you can gather around and sing while anybody plays. And for parties you will have liveliest dance music.

The Pianola line begins with the Aeolian Pianola at $520, and ranges upward in price, according to the model—Stroud, Steck, Wheelock, Weber and Steinway. Then we have the Aeolian Player Piano at $460. Convenient payment terms gladly arranged.

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EDITORIAL

All aboard for Christmas! This store teems with the Christmas spirit.

And we are ready with one of the biggest Xmas Stocks we've ever had the privilege of showing.

But this Christmas will be a different Xmas from those of the past.

It will be America's first war Christmas for over fifty years. It will be the first war Christmas in the lives of most of us—and we hope the last.

A war Christmas means a practical Christmas. It doesn't signify less gifts, but rather more. During war times we should all try to give articles of real worth, and if possible, something for every-day service.

For example, such articles as brushes, boudoir sets, fountain pens, hand bags, etc., are the kind to give this year.

Another important point is to be careful to select something that is durable and made by a responsible manufacturer.

These are no times for useless, trivial, shoddy presents.

There is not a single article in our stock that isn't suitable for a war Christmas.

AUTO LUNCH KITS

Why not give the family a present?

If you have an automobile why wouldn't it be a splendid idea to present the family with an automobile lunch set to fit upon the running board?

Then, every time you picnic with the auto you'll be celebrating the Christmas of 1917.

If your friends with autos have been including you among their guests upon trips a lunch kit would be just the thing for them.

Auto Trunks $12.50 to $17.50
Running Board Suit Case Holders, complete with two Suit Cases $15.00
Auto Picnic Outfits .....$7.00 to $25.00

HERE'S SOMETHING FOR THE MEN

This is our advice if you are puzzled in choosing a gift for a man. Find out what he needs in the way of shaving supplies and give him something to shave with. He may need a new razor or a brush or a cup or a strop or maybe only some soap.

Plain Razors..$1.50 to $4.00
Gillette Safety Razors, silver, leather and ivory cases .....$4.50 to $5.00
Razor Strops..$1.00 to $3.50
Shaving Brushes 25c to $8.00

SPECIAL! Gillette Safety U. S. Service Razors in a silver plated case with Army and Navy emblem and space for engraving name or initials, with trench mirror, $5.00.

WATERMAN SELF-FILLING FOUNTAIN PENS

You'll never go amiss in selecting as a gift a fountain pen. Everyone has use for a good Waterman, especially a self-filler. School children and their teachers, housekeepers, business men and laboring men, bookkeepers, stenographers, clerks and salespeople all have use for fountain pens.

We have Waterman Self-Fillers in both men's and women's sizes, from $2.50 up

Tell the recipient when you make the gift that you bought it at Bowman's, the Waterman Agency, and that the pen can be exchanged if not O. K.

HEADQUARTERS FOR HANDBAGS. NEW STYLES JUST ARRIVED

SOLDIERS' AND TRAVELERS' WRITING KITS

In a form to fit the pocket—neat, durable and condensed.

Contain tablet, envelopes, address book and place for stamps. "Write us often" is your parting word. These pocket kits make writing easier and constitute a steady reminder of the duties of correspondence—$1.00 to $3.50.

ASH TRAYS FROM 50c TO $1.00

Like pictures, you can never have too many ash trays, especially if there are men around your house who smoke most of the time.

If you are puzzled as to what to give him and limited in your finances, just come in and pick out a good serviceable ash tray for 50c or $1.00.

EVEREADY "DAYLO" FLASHLIGHTS

It is useless to elaborate upon the worthiness of a flashlight as a gift. Nothing more practical could possibly be suggested and your gift problem is solved if the person in question has no flashlight.

We always carry all of the sizes of extra batteries, and, of course, all of the many, many styles of lights, 85c to $5.50.

EVER-SHARP LEAD PENCILS

Whom do you know who would appreciate owning one of the finest lead pencils in the world?

Eversharp pencils in nickle, silver or gold are the very newest and most practical pencils ever invented. Be sure to see them when you go shopping for gifts—$1 to $25.

CHRISTMAS SEALS AND HOLLY PAPER

Again we warn you!

Get your Christmas seals and Holiday wrappings early.

Get them right now if you want your packages to look different from the rest.

Remember the seals, paper, cards, tags, ribbons, booklets, etc., that are the cleverest and the most original are the first to sell and that probably by next week the only kinds left will be the staples which all stores sell twelve months in the year. The real Christmas novelties of recognized originality will all be sold out before the "last-minute-people" get around.

KODAKS AND ENLARGEMENTS MAKE FINE HOLIDAY GIFTS

We have kodaks so small that they easily fit into a vest pocket and from this size on up to immense Graflex Cameras, selling for more than a hundred dollars. Here you will find kodaks and cameras and photo supplies adapted to every purpose imaginable.

And speaking of cameras, why not present some of your friends with enlargements of snap shots in which they appear, or in which they are particularly interested? An enlargement is inexpensive, very personal and always treasured.

Vest Pocket Kodaks $7 to $25
Folding Kodaks ..$7 to $85
Brownie Cameras .....$1.75 to $4.50
Graflex Cameras $66 to $125
Metal Tripods..$2.75 to $6.50
Kodak Film Tanks .....$2.75 to $6.50

Durable French Ivory Novelties

If you order these goods this week we can have them engraved in time for Christmas.

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You'll make no mistake in giving French Ivory if purchased at Bowman's, for we sell only the good kind.

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Clocks .....$2.00 to $5
Manicure Sets $2.25 to $7
Perfume Bottles .....35c to $3.50
Photo Frames 35c to $7.50
Pin Cushions 25c to $1.50
Hand Mirrors $2.25 to $7
Hair Brushes .....$1.50 to $6.50
Ivory Trays..25c to $3.50
Hat Pin Holders 50c, 75c
Files, Shoe Hooks and Cuticle Knives 25c to 75c
Buffers .....75c to $1.75
Toilet Sets $3.50 to $32.50
Talcum Holders .....65c to $1.50
Ivory Lamps $4.00
Ivory Flower Vases .....65c and $1.00
Cream Jars ..25c to $1.00

TRENCH MIRRORS

Trench mirrors are taking the place of glass mirrors, not only in camp and at the front, but right here at home. For example, every automobilist should have one.

They're made of brass, highly nickeled and reflect as good as glass. Their advantage is that they cannot be broken. 50c to $2.00.

HIGH-GRADE HAIR BRUSHES

Do you know that good brushes are very scarce?

The best bristles come from Russia, and are now almost impossible to obtain.

Therefore, a fine brush these days is not only a comfort and a great satisfaction, but a real treasure.

Fortunately we "stocked up" heavily on brushes some time ago and show a wonderful assortment.

Military Brushes, per pair, from .....$2 to $11
Hair Brushes, from .....50c to $17.50

MARMALADE OR JAM JARS

Here is a useful, attractive and very inexpensive little gift appropriate to almost any woman.

Fill a few of them with some of your [illegible] and send them around instead of flowers. This is a war Christmas and a jam jar jammed with jam would be a gem—50c.